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## The Morning Star.

### OUTLINES.

Another eruption of Mont Pelee, Martinique, detroyed twenty-two houses at Basse Pointe. —— Henry Reichtein, disbursing officer of the department of justice, Washington, D. C., arrested for misappropriating $7,600 of government funds. —— King Albert of Saxony died yesterday. —— The military companies of Roanoke, Va., are held subject to call in case of trouble at adjacent coal mines. —— One man killed and over a dozen passengers injured in a railroad accident near Shelby, N. C. —— There was a great gathering last night in New York city of representative Democrats; addresses were made by former President Cleveland, David B. Hill and others, seeking to draw the factions of their party together; W. J. Bryan had been invited to attend, but was not present. —— New York markets: Money on call steady at 2½@3 per cent., the market closing at 2¾ per cent. offered; cotton firm at 9¼c; flour steadier and generally 5c higher on spring patents; wheat—spot easy; No. 2 red 79½c; corn—spot easy; No. 2, 68¼c; rosin steady; strained, common to good, $1.55@1.57½; spirits turpentine dull.

### WEATHER REPORT

U. S. DEP'T OF AGRICULTURE, WEATHER BUREAU, WILMINGTON, N. C., June 19.

Meteorological data for the 24 hours ending 8 P. M.:

Temperatures: 8 A. M., 79 degrees; 8 P. M., 79 degrees; maximum, 87 degrees; minimum, 75 degrees; mean, 81 degrees.

Rainfall for day, trace; rainfall since 1st of month to date, 1.34 inch.

Stage of water in Cape Fear river at Fayetteville, at 8 A. M., 7.8 feet.

COTTON REGION BULLETIN.

Warm weather continues in all sections. Rains have fallen east of the Mississippi and in the northern districts.

FORECAST FOR TO-DAY.

WASHINGTON, June 19.—For North Carolina: Unsettled weather, probably showers Friday and Saturday; light variable winds.

**Port Almanac—June 20.**

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| Sun Rises | 4.42 A. M. |
| Sun Sets | 7.19 P. M. |
| Day's Length | 14 H. 39 M. |
| High Water at Southport | 7.30 A. M. |
| High Water Wilmington | 10.00 A. M. |

Whitelaw Reid would give as much as forty dollars if he could show as lusty a pair of calves as Pierpont Morgan did when he donned knee breeches for that Choate dinner given to King Ed.

When the anarchist rioters in Paterson, N. J., broke and ran from a handful of police, there were no Panama hats among the hundred and fifty the mob dropped and didn't take time to pick up.

Hon. Dick Croker denies the report that he paid several thousand dollars for a soft seat to witness the coronation show. He says he wouldn't walk across his room to see it. So they will have to pull it off without Croker or Carnegie.

President Palma says the charge that $25,000 was paid to Gomez not to oppose Palma for the Presidency is a reflection on Gomez and on him. He doesn't say anything about reflections on Secretary Root, who admits that money was paid, nor on those who paid it.

A New Jersey Judge has permanently enjoined the U. S. Steel Company from retiring $200,000,000 of preferred stock and issuing in place of it $250,000,000 bonds. And a woman did it. It is hard to beat a woman when she puts her foot down and says she means it.

A U. S. court at Indianapolis has decided against a man who sued a railroad for damages because some one threw a walnut through a window, broke the glass and injured one of his eyes. The court held that a railroad could not be held reasonsible for the deviltry of people not in its employ and over whom it had no control.

It is said that 70 per cent. of the wealth of Cuba is owned by Spaniards. This is the element in which the sentiment for annexation to the United States is strongest. If they do not receive the recognition from the Republic that they think they are entitled to they will agitate for annexation. But President Palma is disposed to consider their claims and to give them full recognition.

It seems, according to the Washington correspondent of the New York *Herald*, that three members of the President's cabinet were pulling against him in his effort for reciprocity with Cuba, and so were several Senators who professed to be with him, and also the entire Republican National Committee. This, with the eighteen Republican Senators who were openly opposing reciprocity, was a pretty strong combination—too strong for Teddy.

## FIFTH GEORGIA REGIMENT IS COMING 400 STRONG.

**Committee Reports to Officers Enthusiastic Over Wrightsville—Two Excursions Coming from Atlanta.**

The following from the Atlanta *Journal* of Wednesday gives additional particulars of the encampment of the Fifth Georgia Regiment at Wrightsville next month:

"Major W. W. Barker, Captain T. S. Parrott, of Newnan, and Lieutenant Frank Hadley, accompanied by Travelling Passenger Agent W. A. Fulton, of the Seaboard Air Line railway, returned yesterday from Wrightsville Beach, N. C., where they went to investigate the resort as an annual encampment for the Fifth regiment.

"The three officers compose a committee from the regiment to select a place for the annual encampment. They are enthusiastic over Wrightsville Beach as an encampment ground and will recommend that the regiment go there for the encampment.

"The Fifth regiment, numbering 400 men, will leave Atlanta for Wrightsville at 5 o'clock in the afternoon on Thursday, July 17th, for a ten days' stay.

"Wrightsville Beach is one of the newest of the seashore resorts. It was hardly known last year, but since that time the Seaboard Air Line railway has advertised it extensively and those who have visited the place have been enchanted with its advantages and beauties. The Seaboard will provide the best of equipment for the soldier boys, and it is expected that the trip will be one of the most enjoyable in several years.

"The Seaboard is now preparing to run a double excursion next Friday, one of which excursions will be run to Wrightsville and the other to Wilmington. The excursion to Wilmington will be for colored people."

## LOCAL DOTS.

— Cotton dropped to nine cents on the local market yesterday.

— By deed filed for record yesterday Elijah M. Green and wife transferred to Julia Hill, lot on east side of Seventh between Wright and Meares streets, 33x155 feet in size; consideration $55.

— The Florence *Times*, in speaking of the A. C. L. absorption, says: "It is not thought that any of the A. C. L. shops will be disturbed, though one of three Plant system shops may be discontinued."

— Applicants for certificates to teach in the public schools of the county will be examined at the Court House July 10th and 12th; white applicants on the first named date and colored persons on the latter date.

— Atlanta *Constitution*, 19th: "Five Pullman cars have already been engaged for the Seaboard's big excursion to Wrightsville Beach, N. C., tomorrow night. This will probably be one of the largest excursions of the season going from this city."

**The Moonlight Excursion.**

The moonlight excursion to the "Rocks" and return on the steamer *Wilmington* by the N. N. S. Society last night was well patronized and those who took the trip thoroughly enjoyed themselves. The boat returned a little before midnight and those who went away from the sweltering atmosphere in Wilmington earlier in the evening, returned to find it cool and pleasant after a refreshing shower that came while the party was down the river.

**Servant Committed for Larceny.**

Lou Johnson, colored, was committed to jail yesterday by the Mayor to answer in the Superior Court a charge of the larceny of a silver bracelet and a small amount of money from Mrs. R. M. King by whom she was employed as a servant at the family residence on Third between Bladen and Harnett streets. She confessed to the theft. After having been committed to jail the woman said she swallowed a pin and gave Jailor Capps no end of trouble in that respect.

**Local Shipping Notes.**

The brig *Sullivan* was cleared yesterday for Barbadoes by J. T. Riley & Co., with cargo of rough and dressed lumber and shingles from the Kidder Lumber Co. The schooners *James Boyce* and *Methebesec*, from Newport News and New York, respectively, arrived for lumber cargoes. The tug *Standard* towing Standard Oil Barge No. 90 arrived from Philadelphia bringing a supply of oil for the local branch of the company.

**Building For Customs Purposes.**

An Associated Press telegram from Washington last night says: "The House to-day passed a bill to authorize the purchase, at a cost not exceeding $16,000, certain real estate at Wilmington, N. C., for revenue and customs purposes." The property referred to is the Parsley property, next south of the Custom House building.

**Wilmington, The Coolest.**

Wilmington was again the coolest place in the State for the 24 hours ending yesterday morning. The official figures from the Weather Bureau are as follows: Wilmington, 81; Charlotte, 88; Cheraw, 88; Florence, 93; Goldsboro, 88; Greensboro, 84; Lumberton, 89; Newbern, 85; Raleigh, 88; Weldon, 85.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

Geo. R. French & Sons—Oxford sale.
People's Savings Bank—Int. quarter.
Murchison Na'l Bank—Ample assets.
A Proclamation by the Governor—$400 reward.

BUSINESS LOCALS.

U. C. V.—Meeting Cape Fear Camp.

## GREATER COAST LINE.

**Deed of Trust Securing Mammoth Bond Issue Filed for Record Yesterday.**

**DISPOSITION OF PROCEEDS.**

**All Indebtedness of Consolidated System Will Be Discharged—Figures That Are Dazzling—A Magnificent Stretch of Railway.**

The first consolidated mortgage of the Atlantic Coast Line Railroad Company to the United States Trust Company, of New York, bearing date June 16th, 1902, and securing the bond issue authorized by the stockholders at the recent meeting in Richmond, was filed for record in the office of the Register of Deeds, this city, yesterday. It is a mammoth printed instrument and the fee for copying it alone is over $19.

All the details of the financial arrangement of the recent absorption of the Plant System by the Coast Line is contained within the pages of the "book," but for the most part it is clothed in legal verbiage and recites but few facts beyond what has already been published. The purposes for which the deed is executed and other points of interest to the public are contained in the following excerpts from the instrument:

Whereas the Railroad Company has determined to secure and provide for the payment of all of the bonds, debts and liabilities of the Railroad Co. and of the parties to said consolidation agreement, and to take up and cancel said $12,451,000 of bonds of the Savannah, Florida and Western Railway Company and has also determined to provide at the same time for equipping and improving said lines of railway, and for extending the same by the building or acquisition of additional railway property and for other corporate purposes, and to these ends to issue its bonds therefor, provided that said issue shall be limited in the aggregate to $80,000,000 and not exceeding $20,000 a mile, including existing mortgage bonds, for each mile of railway owned by the Railroad Company; and for the purpose of securing the payment of said bonds and of the interest to accrue thereon the Railroad Co. has duly sanctioned, authorized and directed the execution of this mortgage securing said $12,451,000 of bonds of the Savannah, Florida and Western Railway Co. will be a first mortgage upon the following lines aggregating about 570 miles in length, viz: From High Springs to Archer, Fla., from Morriston to Juliette, Fla., from Inverness to Bartow, Fla., from Astor to Leesburg, Fla., from Fort Mason to Lone Park, from Sanford to Port Tampa, Fla.; from Sanford to Lake Charm, Fla. to Lake Eustis; from Kissimmee to Narcoossee, Fla.; Bartow Junction to Bartow; from the Tampa and Thonotassa Junction to Thonotassa; from Thomasville, Ga., to Moticella, Fla.; from Walterboro to Ehrhard, S. C.; from Abbeville Junction to Abbeville, Ala.; from Newton to Elba, Ala.; from Jesup to Folkston, Ga., and from Sprague Junction to Luverne, Ala., and will ultimately be a first lien upon all the railways and property of R. R. Co. now owned, and upon any railways which shall be hereafter constructed or acquired with any of said bonds or their proceeds.

The bonds are to be coupon bonds and registered bonds of the form given in the mortgage, except that the Board of Directors may from time to time as to such of said bonds as are not set apart for immediate use, fix the rate of interest, not exceeding four per cent. per annum that shall be payable thereon.

In order to secure the payment and interest of all of said bonds at any time the deed of trust is executed, covering all and singular the railways owned by the Railroad Company as the same now exist and are enumerated in the mortgage.

The bonds shall be issued as follows: $31,034,000 for discharging the debts and obligations of the company as follows: Savannah, Florida and Western Rwy Co., 4 per cent. consolidated bonds, dated April 1st, 1902, $12,451,000; W. & W. 7 per cent. certificates of indebtedness, $2,500,000; W. & W. 6 per cent. special trust certificates of indebtedness, $880,000; A. C. L. R. R. Co., 4 per cent., certificates of indebtedness, $3,000,000; indebtedness of the Railroad Co. to the A. C. L. Co., for the preferred stock of the S., F. & W. R. Co. and the underlying income bonds of the Brunswick and Western R. R. Co. and the Charleston and Savannah R. R. Co., $10,638,000. (2) $35,102,000 shall be reserved for taking up the following: $24,500 of the first mortgage bonds of the R. & P. R. R. Co., bearing 7 per cent.; $316,000 of the same bonds, bearing 6 per cent.; $300,000 of the same, bearing 4½ per cent.; $868,000 of Class A mortgage bonds of the Petersburg R. R. Co., bearing 5 per cent.; $800,000 of Class B mortgage bonds of the same, bearing 6 per cent.; $1,320,000 of the first mortgage bonds of the N. & C. R. R. Co., bearing 5 per cent.; $400,000 five per cent. bonds of the same; $3,062,000 of the first mortgage bonds of the W. & W. R. R. Co., bearing 5 per cent; $938,000 of the general first mortgage bonds of the W. & W. R. R. Co., bearing 4 per cent.; $500,000 of the first mortgage 4 per cent bonds of the Albemarle & Raleigh R. R. Co.; $500,000 of the first mortgage 4 per cent bonds of the W. & N. R. R. Co.; $1,800,000 of the Yadkin Division four per cent. first mortgage bonds of the W. & W. R. R. Co.; $5,547,000 of the general four per cent. mortgage bonds of the A. C. L. R. R. Co.; of S. C.; $8,57,000 six per cent. mortgage bonds of the N. E. Railroad; $1,600,000 of the first mortgage 6 per cent. bonds of the N. C. & A. R. R. Co.; $9,000 of the five per cent. first mortgage bonds of the M. & A. R. R. Co.; $5,000 five per cent. mortgage bonds of the C. & D. R. R. Co.; $3,8000,000 of the 5 per cent. first mortgage bonds of the Dahomal Medland Railroad; $3,000,000 of the 4 per cent. first mortgage bonds of the Brunswick & Western Railroad; $1,500,000 first mortgage 7 per cent. bonds of the C. & S. Ry. Co.; $36,500 of the 8 per cent. mortgage bonds of the Ashley River railroad; $15,000 of the 7 per cent. mortgage bonds of the Green Pond, Walliesboro and Branchville railroad; $6,500,000 of the first mortgage 5 and 6 per cent. bonds of the S. F. & W. Ry. Co.; $1,500,000 of the 4 per cent. St. John's River Division first mortgage 4 per cent. bonds of the S. F. & W. R. Co., and $1,107,000 of the 4 per cent. mortgage bonds of the Silver Springs, Ocala and Gulf railroad.

The residue of the bonds after discharging all indebtedness is $13,864,000, and same shall be delivered to the railroad company to be used for the acquisition of additional railways and railway properties, either by construction or purchase or for the extension and improvement of the lines of railway and other property which are subject to the lien of this indenture, including the double tracking of said lines of railway or for the acquisition of rolling stock for use on the line.

**CONFECTIONERY STORE ROBBED.**

**Mr. J. W. Plummer's Establishment Had Unwelcome Visitor Wednesday Night.**

The confectionery and ice cream manufactory of J. W. Plummer, Jr., No. 204 Princess street, was robbed Wednesday night by some one who had concealed himself before the place was closed in a cellar opening into the store from the rear.

Mr. Plummer discovered the robbery when he opened up as usual in the morning, and found his money drawer broken open with an ice-pick taken from a refrigerator, a small amount of change gone and a huge pocket-book containing nothing but unimportant papers scattered to the four winds of the earth. From the stock two boxes of cigars were missed and a few other articles were taken.

The thief adroitly opened the back door of the store from the inside and went his way rejoicing, leaving the door open.

**WILL BUY NEW ROAD ROLLER.**

**County Commissioners After One That Will Add Materially to Equipment.**

In order to carry on the permanent road improvement in the county more extensively the commissioners are negotiating for the purchase of one of the latest improved road rollers, with traction engine, that will be capable of assisting materially in drawing wagons upon which the material may be hauled to the road bed.

Mr. C. M. Scott, general agent of the Good Roads Machinery Co., of Kennett Square, Pa., is in the city and is considering a proposition made to him by the commissioners for the machinery, which will be fitted with a 15-horse power Compound Port Huron engine of the latest type. All the machinery will cost about $2,500.

**New Front Street Store.**

Mr. R. R. Bellamy will erect a handsome three-story store with basement at No. 7 North Front street, the site now occupied by Peterson & Rulfs as a shoe store. The building on the old site will be torn down at once and the new store will be ready for occupancy Sept. 16th. The building will be of Washington pressed brick and will be occupied by Messrs. Peterson & Rulfs who moved yesterday to temporary quarters pending the completion of the new place.

**Mr. Jim Collier Injured.**

The family in Wilmington has learned of a very painful accident which befel Mr. Jas. R. Collier in New York last Saturday, but as the injuries are thought not to have been serious, no particulars were learned beyond the fact that he was knocked down and run over by a cab. Mr. Collier left New York last night at 9 o'clock and will be met on his way home, either in Richmond or Washington, by his brother, Dr. G. Kirby Collier. They will arrive at home on the 6 o'clock train this evening.

**Mr. Claude Gore To Wed.**

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Brewer, of Wake Forest, have mailed invitations to friends announcing the marriage of their daughter, Miss Bruce, to Mr. Claude Gore, formerly of Wilmington and a son of Mr. D. L. Gore, of this city; now secretary and treasurer of the Great Falls Manufacturing Co., at Rockingham. The ceremony will be performed at Franklin, Va., July 2nd. The bride to be is a sister of Mrs. Jno. H. Gore, Jr., of this city, and the groom a brother of Mr. Jno. H. Gore Jr.

**Steamer Franklin Pearce Here.**

The steamer *Franklin Pearce*, the new boat recently built by Mr. F. P. White at Shallotte, N. C., arrived in port Wednesday evening and is tied up at the U. S. wharf for official measurement and entry at the Custom House. She appears to be a staunch little craft and will doubtless prove a success for her owner. Capt. W. A. Snell brought the steamer around. She has triple expansion engines from the yacht *Pastime* and all her machinery is good.

**Yacht Club Opening To-night.**

The Carolina Yacht Club will have its annual opening on Wrightsville to-night and large numbers of people from the city will go down for the event. Members of the Atlantic and Hanover Seaside clubs are invited to participate. There will be music, dancing and refreshments. A late train from the beach will bring the city people home.

**Teachey's Made Early Shipments.**

Referring to Mr. Banman's report of the strawberry shipments the past season, Mr. B. F. Fussell writes that Teachey's shipped one full crate on April 19th and several piece crates before that time, some as early as April 16th.

**Reduced Rates Via Seaboard Air Line Railway.**

Account Presbyterian Evangelistical and Biblical Institute, Davidson, N. C., June 24th to July 2nd, the Seaboard Air Line will sell round trip tickets June 23rd to 28th inclusive Wilmington, N. C., to Davidson, N. C., at rate $7.25 for round trip; final limit of tickets July 4th.

## LOST IN ONE INNING.

**A Slugging Match in Durham Yesterday in Which Wilmington Was Loser.**

**THE SCORE, SEVEN TO THREE.**

**Two Home Runs by the Bulls—Charlotte Took One from Raleigh and Newbern Kept Up its Winning Streak—Notes of the League.**

YESTERDAY'S GAMES.

Wilmington, 3; Durham, 7.
Charlotte, 3; Raleigh, 1.
Newbern, 5; Greensboro, 3.

WHERE THEY PLAY TO-DAY.

Wilmington at Durham.
Raleigh at Charlotte.
Newbern at Greensboro.

STANDING OF THE CLUBS.

| | Won. | Lost. | Per cent. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Charlotte | 33 | 6 | .846 |
| Raleigh | 22 | 18 | .550 |
| Newbern | 21 | 19 | .525 |
| Durham | 19 | 21 | .475 |
| Greensboro | 18 | 22 | .450 |
| Wilmington | 7 | 32 | .179 |

[*Special Star Telegram.*]

DURHAM, N. C., July 19.—Durham won from Wilmington this afternoon by bunching hits in the fifth inning and pasting the ball over the fence twice. The score was seven to three.

Wilmington made her runs in the third and ninth innings. In the third, Sweeney got his base on balls and came home on a two-bagger by Holland, after two men had been retired. In the ninth Mathison hit for two bases and was scored by a two-base hit by McGinnis. Lawson then singled to left and McGinnis scored. O'Neill retired the side by being thrown out at first.

Durham made her first run in the third, on three hits. In the fifth Sweeney was pounded for a home run by Carr, two doubles and a single, five runs being scored.

In the seventh, Costello again sent the ball over the fence for a home run. At no time after the fourth inning did Wilmington have a chance to win the game.

THE SCORE BY INNINGS.

| | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 | 9 | R | H | E |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Wilmington | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 3 | 6 | 1 |
| Durham | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 5 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 7 | 12 | 0 |

Batteries: Sweeney and Fisher; Brucker and Costello.

THE TABULATED SCORE.

| WILMINGTON. | AB | R | BH | PO | A | E |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Holland, rf | 4 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Hines, lf | 4 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Dommel, 1b | 4 | 0 | 0 | 8 | 1 | 0 |
| Mathison, 3b | 3 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 0 |
| McGinnis, cf | 4 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 0 | 1 |
| Lawson, ss | 4 | 0 | 1 | 4 | 2 | 0 |
| O'Neill, 3b | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 |
| Fisher, c | 2 | 0 | 0 | 9 | 2 | 0 |
| Sweeney, p | 1 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 |
| Total | 30 | 3 | 6 | 27 | 9 | 1 |

| DURHAM. | AB | R | BH | PO | A | E |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Curtis, lf | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Stockdale, 1b | 4 | 1 | 1 | 13 | 0 | 0 |
| Costello, c | 5 | 2 | 3 | 7 | 2 | 0 |
| Rochford, rf | 4 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Curran, cf | 5 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Carr, 2b | 4 | 1 | 2 | 4 | 2 | 0 |
| McDade, ss | 3 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 8 | 0 |
| Soffie, 3b | 4 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 1 | 0 |
| Brucker, p | 4 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 2 | 0 |
| Total | 36 | 7 | 12 | 27 | 15 | 0 |

Summary: Earned runs, Durham 7, Wilmington 3. Two base hits, Costello, Rochford, Curran, Carr, Holland, Mathison and McGinnis. Home runs, Carr and Costello. Double plays, McDade to Carr to Stockdale, Fisher to Dommel. Hit by pitched ball, Rochford. Struck out, by Brucker 7, Sweeney 8. Passed ball, Costello. Left on bases, Durham 7, Wilmington 2. Stolen bases, Durham 3, Wilmington 1. Time, 1:55. Umpire, Mr. Sherman. Scorer, Mr. Carr.

### The Giants Overthrown By the Durham Short Horns.

— The Newbern Clams are pushing for second place.

— Holland, Mathison and McGinnis all made two base hits.

— The special to the STAR from Durham gives full details of the game.

— It is Krause's turn to pitch to day. Karns will probably wind up the Durham series.

— Wilmington lost at Durham, 7 to 3. The Spring chicken, Sherman, umpired the game.

— Durham will play Wilmington here June 26, 27 and 28. Ge your red flags ready for the Bulls.

— Raleigh, too, is complaining of having to play against a tenth man. It is Umpire McNamara now.

— The new series will begin June 30th with Wilmington at Newbern, to be immediately followed by three return games between the same teams at Hilton Park.

— The Charlotte *News* says: "Some curious coincidence binds Charlotte and Wilmington when it comes to playing baseball. Every time Charlotte loses a game Wilmington wins a game." Well, it really did look that way Wednesday. It was a striking "coincidence," too.

— Willie Warren was released by Birmingham at New Orleans this week. Yesterday he wrote from Natchez, Miss., that he wanted to come to Wilmington right away. He was wired for terms last night. "Wallie" would make a valuable acquisition to the team.

**Negro Stabs Another.**

Henry Butler, colored, engaged in an affray with another negro at the Cape Fear Lumber Company's mill yesterday about noon as the result of which he received an ugly stab on the left shoulder. The wounded negro walked to Fourth street bridge, from whence he was taken in the police patrol to the hospital. He is not seriously injured. His assailant made his escape.

## BACHELORS AND BENEDICTS WILL CONTEST TO-MORROW

**Amusing Game of Amateur Ball That Will Be Sure to Draw a Big Crowd on Saturday Afternoon.**

Smarting under the defeat of ten days ago the Benedict baseball team was somewhat dilatory in its arrangements a few days ago when the Bachelors challenged them for a second game at Hilton to-morrow afternoon for the benefit of the League uniform fund. Yesterday, however, they became aggressive, promptly got together and said they would go in the game to do or die and as an evidence of that fact announced their line-up as follows: W. A. French, Jr., c.; C. E. Taylor, Jr., p.; Will McEachern, 1b.; W. S. Johnson, 2b.; Wallace Carmichael, 3b.; C. S. Grainger, s. s.; James Sinclair, l. f.; F. A. Lord, c. f. and captain, and W. F. Robertson, r. f.

The Bachelors are now the reticent ones and have not yet had the courage to furnish their line-up for the public prints, but it is sufficient to know that among the stars will be Tommie Orrell, Ed. Battle, Lacy Hunt and perhaps "Billie" Baxter. The line-up will perhaps be given in to-morrow's issue.

An umpire competent to judge balls and strikes will be "right there with the goods," as the late Misther MaGinnis is wont to say.

## PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

— Mr. L. P. Duncan, of Raleigh, is at The Orton.

— Stephen McIntyre, Esq., of Lumberton, is at The Orton.

— Mr. H. E. Wells and Master H. E. Wells, of Columbia, S. C., are at The Orton.

— Mr. Geo. W. Brunson, Jr., of the *Evening Dispatch*, is spending a short vacation at Southport.

— Atlanta *Constitution*: "Captain and Mrs. Anderson will visit Wrightsville Beach this Summer."

— Miss Hannah Billings, of Raleigh, is visiting Mrs. Frank Herbst at Clay Point, Wrightsville Sound.

— Atlanta *Journal*: "Mr. and Mrs. Geo. McCarty and family will leave next week for Wrightsville Beach to spend July."

— Mr. C. D. Owens, a STAR compositor, who has been absent at his home in Marion, S. C., several weeks on account of sickness has sufficiently recovered to report for duty.

— Florence *Times*: "Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Bizzell left for Wrightsville Beach this morning. —— Mrs. L. H. Meares and children are spending some days at Wrightsville Beach."

— Point Caswell correspondence: "Messrs. Gilbert and Osborne Foard, who, a few weeks ago, graduated at the Wilmington High School, are visiting Miss Annie Paddison and sister, Mrs. Anthony."

— Atlanta *Constitution*: "A number of Atlantans will leave Friday night for Wrightsville Beach. Among them are: Mr. and Mrs. George McCarthy, Mr. and Mrs. Vassar Woolley, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Stearnes, Captain and Mrs. Hansell, Miss Lucile Alexander, Mr. and Mrs. George Brown, Miss Sallie Brown, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Van Winkle, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Goldsmith, and Mr. and Mrs. E. P. McBurney."

**Prominent Atlantans Coming.**

Atlanta *Constitution*: "The following Atlantans have made Pullman reservations on the excursion train which will leave Atlanta next Friday afternoon at 6 o'clock for Wrightsville Beach, N. C.: G. H. Howard and family, G. W. McCarty and family, Vassar Wooley and family, George M. Brown and family, Miss Sallie E. Brown, J. G. Goldsmith, Miss Metzar, M. Durand, B. M. Blount, Miss Maggie Bass, Mrs. Suttles, W. A. Hansell, S. A. Osborne, L. Klausman and family, Charles H. Fryer, A. P. Phillips, D. A. Shafer, A. W. Jones, J. D. Dobbs, F. G. Painter, John Kelley, A. L. DeRosset, W. E. Hayne, W. R. Perkins, F. E. Ladd, E. Massengale, L. D. Hoppe, C. V. Lalanow, J. A. Fischer, A. L. Delkin, O. T. Camp and C. T. Cash.

**Lumber Operations In Pender.**

The Pender *Chronicle* says: "The logging industry, in central and upper Holly Township, seems to be gaining considerable proportions, just at this time. The Hilton Lumber Co., under the supervision of Mr. Clint Mallard, is building a tramroad from Fishing Creek, up through the lands of Mr. R. T. Williams, to the Asher Creek and Bear Garden sections, where they own very large timber interests. The Angola Lumber Co., under the supervision of Mr. Britton, is building a tramway, from a point on Shelter River, a little above Shaken, through the lands of Mr. L. W. McKoy, up Shaken Creek to the Great Juniper Swamp and other parts of the country, where they own large bodies of timbered lands."

**At the Wilmington Shops.**

Florence *Times*: "Mr. Geo. W. Matthews, of the Coast Line car shops in Wilmington, is in the city for a few days. He says there is plenty of work on hand in the car department to keep the force busy some time. Nine new express cars of the 'dummy end' pattern have just been completed and the men have been put on repair work. Good progress is being made in the building of box cars. An order for about 800 was received some time ago."

**Aldermen Meet Monday Night.**

A special called meeting of the Board of Aldermen will be held Monday night to pass upon applications for liquor license for the six months beginning July 1st and for the transaction of such other business as may come before the Board. It is rumored that several innovations will be introduced that will likely be interesting.


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## SUPREME COURT ADJOURNED.

**Opinion in Railway Taxation Matter. Dentists in Session, Addressed by Gov. Aycock—Raleigh News.**

[*Special Star Telegram.*]

RALEIGH, N. C., June 19.—The North Carolina Supreme Court handed down an opinion to day finding no error in the lower court in dismissing the case of Jackson vs. N. C. Corporatiffition Commission in whichtheplain sought to compel the Corporation Commission to reassess for taxation in 1901 the franchises of the railroad companies in the State the increase demanded being from forty million to one hundred and fifty million dollars. The opinion of the court was written by Justice Montgomery. The Chief Justice filed a concurring opinion in which Justice Cook concurred. Justice Douglas filed a dissenting opinion in which Justice Clark concurred. Under the ruling of the court there can be no reassessment now until 1903.

The Supreme Court adjourned today sine die. Gattis vs. Kilgo is the only important case which goes over.

The North Carolina Dental Society convened this morning, with an address of welcome by Governor Aycock, and response by Dr. D. H. Harper, of Kinston. Gov. Aycock reviewed the history of dentistry in the State from 1835, when Dr. J. T. Harris was the first practitioner. He said there are now over three hundred.

Dr. W. H. Edwards, Durham, and Dr. R. M. King, Greensboro, asked for withdrawal cards, but were refused, the society proposing to dismiss the men for unprofessional conduct in the character of their advertisements and cutting rates. Seventy members are attending the meeting of the society.

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# A PROCLAMATION BY THE GOVERNOR.

**$400 REWARD.**

State of North Carolina,
Executive Department.

Whereas, official information has been received at this department that Harrison and James Gillespie were lynched at Salisbury about June 10, 1902, by parties unknown;

And Whereas, it appears that the said parties unknown have fled the State, or so conceal themselves that the ordinary process of law cannot be served upon them:

Now, therefore, I, Charles B. Aycock, Governor of the State of North Carolina, by virtue of authority in me vested by law, do issue this my proclamation, offering a reward of four hundred dollars each for the apprehension and delivery of the said parties unknown or any of them to the sheriff of Rowan county at the court house in Salisbury, with evidence sufficient to convict and a conviction, and I do enjoin all officers of the State and all good citizens to assist in bringing said criminals to justice.

SEAL. Done at our city of Raleigh, the 18th day of June, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and two, and in the one hundred and twenty-sixth year of our American Independence.

CHARLES B. AYCOCK.

By the Governor:
P. M. PEARSALL,
Private Secretary.

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# The Morning Star.

BY WILLIAM H. BERNARD

WILMINGTON, N. C.

FRIDAY MORNING, JUNE 20.


### IS THIS PROSPERITY?

A few days ago we published an editorial under the caption of "Lop-sided Prosperity," in which we took the position that the prosperity of which we hear and read so much is a prosperity enjoyed by the few but not by the many, and that the many, the millions who labor and produce the wealth of the country, the millions who take from the earth the raw materials and whose skill converts these into finished forms for the use of men, are no better off, no more prosperous to-day, than they were five or ten years ago.

In view of the much boasting about the "McKinley wave of prosperity," the great progress made in our manufacturing industries, the remarkable increase in our foreign commerce, especially in our exports of manufactures, this may seem like an unfounded assertion, but it is the plain, unbiassed statement of a truth, supported by figures that speak for themselves and tell their own story.

As we stated in the article to which we refer, it will not and need not be denied that there has been great industrial progress, more work for workers and more workers employed within the past few years than in the preceding few, because there was then industrial depression throughout the world, from which this country suffered; nor can it be denied, neither, that the real beneficiaries of this industrial progress are the men whose money was behind it, and not the wage earners whose labor made the profits possible. This is a tariff-protected trust era, of trusts, combines and consolidations, which Mark Hanna calls "aggregations of wealth." It is these, by whatever name they may be called, which have reaped the prosperity of which we read and added to their millions, not the masses of the people nor the millions of wage earners whose strong muscles, deft hands and resourceful brains did the work by which they profited.

In the past twenty years there have been, according to Hon. Carroll D. Wright, U. S. Commissioner of Labor, over a thousand strikes a year. Do workers strike when they are prospering? Within the past few months there have been a dozen or more strikes, and one of these now in progress involves something like 160,000 wage earners, while it indirectly involves many thousands more. Does this look as if these strikers were prospering? We refer here to the coal miners' strike in Pennsylvania. The average wages of these miners is $230 a year, which is a little over half the average earnings of the 15,000,000 wage earners of the country. Can a man who has a wife, and no children, to support, on $230 a year be called prosperous? Can the 15,000,000 wage earners of this country who earn on an average $437.95 a year be called prosperous?

Mr. Schwab, the President of the Steel Trust may give a dinner that costs $100 a plate and never miss it from his week's salary, but it would take the average wage earner about three months steady hard work to earn enough to pay for that plate. No one will question Mr. Schwab's prosperity, but how about the workman who would have to labor for three months to pay for that plate?

*Gunton's Magazine* is a non-partisan publication, but believes in a protective tariff and leans decidedly towards the Republican party in its economic policies. The June number contains an article by the editor which effectually disposes of the boasts about our great progress and prosperity as compared with the preceding decade when we didn't have the great prosperity propeller—the Dingley tariff. The gist of this article is given in the following editorial which we clip from the Charleston *News and Courier*:

According to the census, average wages in 1890 were $444.83, and in 1900 $437.95, a decline of 1.5 per cent. Increased prices of articles of consumption effected a still further decline in fact. According to Dun's index of prices of 350 articles, averaged according to importance of consumption, says Prof. Gunton, on January 1, 1890 a given amount of these products cost $90.19, and on June 1, 1900, when the census was taken, the same articles cost $91.82; an increase of 1.8 per cent. "If we take the wage averages for the two periods just as they stand we have an actual fall of 1.5 per cent in wages and a rise of 1.8 per cent in prices—which means a reduction of 3.3 per cent in real wages, or in the purchasing of a day's work."

Even if there had been no fall in average wages, "the decreased purchasing power of a dollar would indicate a decline of nearly 2 per cent in real wages during the decade"

Prof. Gunton makes a comparison between the decade just ended and the one before it, and finds greater progress in the one ending in 1890. The products per capita "increased just twice as fast." The "actual increase" in total product was $335,381,737 greater in the decade ending in 1890 than in the next one, while the "per cent. of increase" was 74.5 in the former period, and 39.1 in the latter, or nearly twice as great. "Nominal wages", again, increased 28 per cent. and real wages (as determined by their purchasing power) 38 per cent. in the former period, as against practically stationary wages between 1890 and 1900, and a fall in real wages of nearly 2 per cent. "Thus it will be seen," the Professor concludes, "that in some respects—conspicuous,y wage distribution—we made no progress at all during the decade ending 1890, while in every respect—including investment of capital, total product per capita and purchasing power of money—the progress of the previous decade was strikingly greater than in the last."

We contend that prosperity which is not distributed is not real prosperity. When a hundred people are engaged in business, ten make profits, some of these ten very large profits, and the majority make barely enough to feed and cloth them that is not prosperity in the true sense. It is prosperity for only the ten. The aggregate wealth of the nation is placed at about $60,000,000,000. Fifteen thousand families own over one-half of it, which leaves $40,000,000,000 to be divided among 76,000,000 of people, less 15,000 families or about 75,000 people. This evenly divided wouldn't make such a bad exhibit, but the bulk of this is owned by the smaller number, while millions own none of it and are dependent upon their daily earnings for the bread they eat and the clothes they wear.

And yet there is much glorifying over the great prosperity we are blessed with. Mark Hanna has expatiated on the "full dinner pail," making his appeal to the stomach as if that were the only thing the toiler had to be concerned about, and now he sings his stereotyped song "Keep on letting well enough alone." This "well enough" rot is effectively exposed and answered by these cold figures and facts presented by this Republican editor of a magazine which in the main supports the Republican party and its policies.

### SOBER SENSE.

Whether we agree with everything that ex-President Cleveland said in his speech, published in another column, at the Tilden Club reception in New York or not, it is full of sober sense and good counsel to his fellow Democrats. There is nothing in it that any Democrat anxious for the success of his party and the triumph of Democratic principles and policies cannot subscribe to.

Without pretending or seeming to do so it outlines what should be the platform of the party, in all of which, with possibly the reference to the money question, the large majority—the bulk of the party—will agree with him, and it is more than probable the bulk of the party will be in accord with him in that. Where this question has come before the State Democratic conventions recently held it has given rise to more or less discussion, resulting in some States in a victory for those who opposed committing the party to any particular platform heretofore adopted and in others in a compromise, eliminating the reference to the Kansas city platform, but leaving those questions on which Democrats have been divided to be acted upon as the wisdom of the next national convention may decide. That is the proper course to pursue, for there is no sense in forcing to the front as an issue a question in which the masses of the people have lost interest for the present, at least, when the only effect of such action would be to keep Democrats from coming together, making victory more difficult and defeat easier. Wm. J. Bryan virtually admits this in an interview in Kansas city a few days ago, in which he is thus quoted.

"It is too early yet to say what the issues will be at the next Presidential campaign. I think that imperialism will be one of the principal ones, judging from the action of the House. The money question will also come up. As to what part free silver will play I cannot say. The Republicans fear to discuss the Fowler bill. They say that the money question is a corpse, but the corpse has so much life in it that they fear to push this bill before election, and have postponed it until the second session. The trust question will also come up for consideration in the next campaign. At the present time Democratic chances look good."

"What part free silver will play" he cannot say, but the coming together will hinge on that, for "free silver" was the wedge that did the splitting. With that eliminated the "money question" will assume an entirely different phase. Of course that will give rise to more or less discussion and difference of opinion, as there have been a dozen or more currency measures offered in Congress which have bearing upon free silver. With that eliminated, Democrats can get together, and they must get together if they hope to win.

### BRIBERY ALL THE SAME.

Secretary Root assumed responsibility for the $8,000 or $9,000, or more, (Gen. Wood says he paid more) taken out of the Cuban Treasury to promote reciprocity with Cuba. Before that matter got cold it was followed by a charge that Gen. Wood had paid to Gen. Gomez $25,000 out of the Cuban treasury to keep him quiet while they were getting the Cuban civil government in shape and electing a president. In this connection it will be remembered that Gomez was said to be Palma's most formidable competitor for the presidency. But Gomez finally publicly declared that he was not a candidate, which left the way practically open for Palma.

Gen. Wood denied paying Gomez money to keep quiet, and right on the heels of that denial Secretary Root admitted that money had been paid to Gomez to keep him quiet, and justified the paying of this money as a fine stroke of statesmanship which prevented what might have become a very troublesome situation that might have cost inestimably more than the sum invested in buying or bribing Gomez, for that is precisely what this money paid to him meant.

The Washington *Post* says it has "reason to believe that between May 28, 1899, and February, 23, 1900, he received $19,000." How much more than that it has no means of knowing. But there is no reason to suppose that the payments ended then.

Whatever the motive in paying him the money, whether it was to keep him from opposing Palma for the Presidency or to prevent his restless followers from raising a racket, he got the money in a quite way, and was well paid, while other Cubans, who had claims as well as he, got nothing. Whatever the excuse for this transaction was, whether it was sagacious statesmanship or not, it was bribery all the same and they can't make anything else out of it.

## CURRENT COMMENT.

— Congressman Cannon, the "watchdog of the Treasury," is very erratic in emitting his barks. Why he raised such an uproar over the forestry-reservation bill and let the irrigation bill escape his eye is more than we can explain.—*Norfolk Landmark, Dem.*

— The important question in the matter of reciprocity with Cuba is whether the American people, through their representatives, can do as they please, or whether protection-fed monopolies are to take charge of congress and defy their will and antagonize their interests. *Memphis News, Dem.*

— Six barrels of crude oil will make as much steam as a ton of coal. Texas fuel oil, costing from fifty to sixty cents per barrel, can be brought to seaports of the Atlantic coast in quantity practically unlimited. It is only a question of supplying tank steamships and receiving tanks, and presto! the problem of fuel supply might be speedily worked out without regard to coal freight rates or coal miners' strikes.—*Philadelphia Record, Dem.*

— In the case of Gen. Gomez, the old query of "where did he get it?" is varied to "why did he get it?" We know that the United States paid the old leader of the Cubans $25,000, but, we don't know exactly why it was paid nor what was done with the money. Secretary Root says it was a proner expense and he is willing to take all the responsibility of having undertaken it, and perhaps it would be well to let it go at that. Too close inquiry might destroy some popular delusions.—*Charleston Post, Ind.*

## TWINKLINGS.

— A Sheffield bootmaker displays this notice in his window: "Don't you wish you were in my shoes?"—*Tit-Bits.*

— "I was at a swell affair last night." "A social function?" "No, it was entirely too swell to be social."—*Indianapolis News.*

— One of the Symptoms: But how did you know that I was in love with you? he asked. You were so foolish," she answered.

— About the Same Thing: "Is that a historical novel you're reading?" "That's what they call it at the library, but it seems to me to be more hysterical than anything else."—*Chicago Record-Herald.*

— Madge—"She's a great girl after the fellows, isn't she?" Marjorie—"Why, that girl would have a man at her feet even if she had to break a shoestring to do it.—*New York Sun.*

— "You had some trouble, I believe," remarked the neighbor. "Niver a bit," retorted Mrs. Clancy, who had proved victor in a disagreement with her husband. "'Twas Clancy had all th' throuble."—*Chicago Post.*

— Parishioner—The people are complaining that you are too liberal. Unorthodox Pastor—Oh, that's a mistake, my dear, a great mistake. I am just as stingy as the rest of you.—*N. Y. Weekly.*

— "You are speculating?" said the president of the bank, severerely. "Yes, sir," replied the cashier. "No harm in speculating, I hope?" "Well, no: provided you don't get excited and drop the 's'!"—*TownTopics.*

— Biggs—"There goes a man who is approached with fear and trembling by all who have dealings with him." Boggs—"Ah! a criminal judge or something of that sort, I presume." "No, a dentist."—*Tit-Bits.*

— Bettina—"I've changed my mind, Willie; we won't go and play with the Richleighs this afternoon." William—"You won't! Now, see what you've made me do. I've gone and washed my face and hands for nothing."—*Philadelphia Press.*

— Biggs—Is Windig a man whose word one can depend upon? Diggs—Well, I wouldn't care to say anything against him, but in the language of the poet it might be safe to remark that to him "truth is stranger than fiction.

— A Scientific Fact: Doctor—Speaking of your trouble with your husband, do you know it is a scientific fact that meat causes bad temper? Mrs. De Jarr—Oh, yes, I have noticed it always does and especially when it's burnt.—*N. Y. Weekly.*


### A Deep Mystery.

It is a mystery why women endure Backache, Headache, Nervousness, Sleeplessness, Melancholy, Fainting and Dizzy Spells when thousands have proved that Electric Bitters will quickly cure such troubles. "I suffered for years with kidney trouble," writes Mrs. Phebe Cherley, of Peterson, Ia., "and a lame back pained me so that I couldn't dress myself, but Electric Bitters wholly cured me, and, although 73 years years old, I now am able to do all my housework." It overcomes Constipation, improves Appetite and gives perfect Health. Only 50 cents at R. R. BELLAMY'S drug store.

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## SPIRITS TURPENTINE.

— Goldsboro *Argus*: The death of Mrs. Nannie Flowers, widow of the late Dr. Flowers, occurred in Mt Olive Tuesday afternoon. Her husband preceded her to the spirit land some years ago. She belonged to one of the leading families in that section.

— Fayetteville *Observer*: Some parts of Cumberland county are not relieved of their distress from the long-prevailing drought; but the steady, refreshing rains of Sunday night and Monday morning, while not in all satisfying abundance, did a world of good. Farmers from different townships tell us that corn and cotton are doing well; and with a shower now and then, promise fine yields.

— Salisbury *Sun*: Solicitor Hammer arrived in Salisbury Tuesday morning and is to-day investigating the lynching which occurred here last Wednesday night. The law requires Mr. Hammer to make such an investigation and he is endeavoring to get into all the facts connected with the lynching. Mr. Hammer had made considerable headway with his investigation up to noon, having secured the names of several parties whom, it is alleged, were in the lynching party. The solicitor will probably remain here for several days.

— Chatham *Record*: We regret to hear of the death of our venerable countryman, Dr. A. I. H. Lutterloh, who died on last Thursday. — The many friends of Mr. George W. Brooks of Hickory Mountain Township, will regret to hear of his death, which occurred on last Monday night. He was one of the most prominent and respected citizens of this county, and during the war was a gallant Confederate soldier. — So many negroes are disfranchised in this county that the Republican office-seekers are almost in despair and are irying to get all the outside help they can. — A good deal of money has been found, hid in all sorts of ways, at the late residence of Miss Martha Cole, an old maid, who died last March in Albright township. Before her death she had told that some of her money was hid in her pillow, which was easily found, and since then different amounts have been found concealed all about the house, amounting altogether to about $400. Several sums were found hid in balls of yarn, and some in a feather bed.

— Charlotte *Observer*: After telling his mother good-bye over the telephone and taking enough laudanum to have killed three men, Thomas Marvin Brookshire shot himself in the office of Long Bros.' store Tuesday night. The bullet entered the right breast above the lung, and did not make a mortal wound. The laudanum nauseated Brookshire and he threw it up. But he declares that he intends to die by his own hands and that he will kill himself at the first opportunity. — On exhibition at Belk Bros'. store on East Trade street there is a large, smooth piece of soap-stone on which are engraved a number of Confederate $10 bill—or the engraved impression of the bills. The stone, which was used by the Confederate government, was found by Capt. W. M. Smith in 1865, at a point four and a half miles from the city, close to the Charlotte, Columbia & Augusta Railroad. It is presumed that it had been thrown from the train. Capt. Smith states that he has been offered $400 for the old relic, but would not sell it for one thousand.

## FOR THE LITTLE ONES.

### The Pretty Playthings That Mary Made Out of "Stickers."

Little Mary is the happiest of children usually, but one day her Auntie Joy found her looking almost doleful.

"I'm tired of everything I've got to play with," said Mary. "I wish I had some new playthings—some playthings that nobody had ever thought of before."

"I don't believe there are any playthings like that," said Auntie Joy smiling, "but come with me and I'll show you how to play with some playthings that used to make me very happy when I was a little girl, but that I never see any little children playing with now."

By the time Mary had found her hat Auntie Joy was ready with two paper bags from the kitchen. They went out to the empty lot near the house and Auntie Joy told Mary to be careful.

"We shall like the playthings we are after much better in our bags than clinging to our skirts," she said, laughing.

So they filled the two bags with the "stickers" which Mary had always hated before and went back to the veranda. And here Auntie Joy poured the "stickers" out on a big paper and showed Mary how to make them into doll's furniture.

Mary enjoyed the play so much that it was supper time long before she expected it.

"I haven't had such a good time this summer," she told Auntie Joy as they went into the house together.

And if any of Jane Jerome's little girls want to make doll's furniture out of "stickers" all they have to do is to stick the "stickers" together in any shape they want them. And the boys, who don't care about doll's furniture, may make pretty baskets in the same way.

### An Unselfish Soul.

Miss Ann Teek (giddily)—I wonder if there are really any microbes in kisses?

Miss Kostique—What a thoughtful, unselfish creature you are—always worrying about something dangerous that may happen to other girls!—Cincinnati Enquirer.

### The Cause.

Dr. Dosem—Troubled with sleeplessness, eh? Is your trouble of long standing?

Patient—Yes, and of long walking. The baby's had colic every night for the past three months.—Philadelphia Press


### Old Soldier's Experience.

M. M. Austin, a civil war veteran, of Winchester, Ind., writes: "My wife was sick a long time in spite of good doctor's treatment, but was wholly cured by Dr. King's New Life Pills, which worked wonders for her health." They always do. Try them. Only 25 cents at R. R. BELLAMY'S drug store.

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### Pet Eagles.

There are a few cases in which eagles have been made pets, so that we may suppose that if the birds were commoner they could be tamed at least as easily as bears. An imperial eagle taken from the nest accepted caresses, answered to a call and did not fly away when at liberty. At Alva there used to be an eagle kept on a chain, which shows, perhaps, that it could not be trusted to roam about the Ochils. A golden eagle, caught when fully grown, was successfully domesticated, but its wings were cut when it was first taken and so it had time to get accustomed to its new home and new life. Sometimes it went off for two or three weeks, but always came back. It was fed on crows, shot for it. Whenever it attempted to seize a crow on its own account it always failed, Jim being much too artful a dodger.

### An Acquired Taste.

"Yes, there is something in a name. There's my wife, for instance."

"What about her?"

"Why, her first name is Olive, and I didn't like her at all at first."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

## WHOLESALE PRICES CURRENT.

☞ The following quotations represent Wholesale Prices generally. In making up small orders higher prices have to be charged. The quotations are always given as accurately as possible, but the STAR will not be responsible for any variations from the actual market prices of the articles quoted

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| BAGGING— | | | |
| 1 ℔ Jute | 6½ | @ | 7 |
| Standard | 6 | @ | 6¾ |
| Burlaps | 6 | @ | 6¾ |
| WESTERN SMOKED— | | | |
| Hams ℔ ℔ | 13½@ | | 14 |
| Sides ℔ ℔ | 10 | @ | 10½ |
| Shoulders ℔ ℔ | 9 | @ | 9½ |
| DRY SALTED— | | | |
| Sides ℔ | 9 00 | @ | 9 75 |
| Shoulders ℔ | 9 | @ | 9¼ |
| BARRELS—Spirits Turpentine— | | | |
| Second-hand, each | 1 25 | @ | 1 35 |
| Second-hand machine | 1 25 | @ | 1 35 |
| New New York, each | | @ | 1 35 |
| New City, each | | @ | 1 35 |
| BRICKS— | | | |
| Wilmington ℔ M | 6 50 | @ | 7 00 |
| Northern | 9 00 | @ | 14 00 |
| BUTTER— | | | |
| North Carolina ℔ ℔ | 25 | @ | 33½ |
| Northern | 22 | @ | 26 |
| CORN MEAL— | | | |
| Per bushel, in sacks | 75 | @ | 77½ |
| Virginia Meal | | @ | 77½ |
| COTTON TIES—℔ bundle | | @ | 1 13½ |
| CANDLES—℔ ℔— | | | |
| Sperm | 13 | @ | 25 |
| Adamantine | 8 | @ | 11 |
| COFFEE—℔ ℔— | | | |
| Laguyra | 11 | @ | 12½ |
| Rio | 7 | @ | 10 |
| DOMESTICS— | | | |
| Sheeting, 4-4, ℔ yard | | @ | 5½ |
| Yarns, ℔ bunch of 5 ℔s | | @ | 90 |
| FISH— | | | |
| Mackerel, No. 1, ℔ barrel | 22 00 | @ | 30 00 |
| Mackerel, No. 1, ℔ half-bbl | 11 00 | @ | 15 00 |
| Mackerel, No. 2, ℔ barrel | 16 00 | @ | 18 00 |
| Mackerel, No. 2 ℔ half-bbl | 8 00 | @ | 9 00 |
| Mackerel, No. 3, ℔ barrel | 13 00 | @ | 14 00 |
| Mullets, ℔ barrel | 3 75 | @ | 4 25 |
| Mullets, ℔ pork barrel | 7 50 | @ | 8 00 |
| N. C. Roe Herring, ℔ keg | 1 00 | @ | 1 25 |
| Dry Cod, ℔ ℔ | 6 | @ | 10 |
| " Extra | 4 00 | @ | 5 00 |
| FLOUR—℔ ℔— | | | |
| Low grade | 3 50 | @ | 3 75 |
| Choice | 3 75 | @ | 4 00 |
| Straight | 4 25 | @ | 4 50 |
| First Patent | | @ | 5 00 |
| GLUE—℔ ℔— | 8 | @ | 10 |
| GRAIN—℔ bushel— | | | |
| Corn, from store, bgs—White | 80@ | | 80 |
| Mixed Corn | 57½@ | | 60 |
| Oats, from store (mixed) | 57½@ | | 60 |
| Oats, Rust Proof | 70 | @ | 75 |
| Cow Peas | 1 10 | @ | 1 15 |
| HIDES—℔ ℔— | | | |
| Green salted | 4 | @ | 5 |
| Dry flint | 10 | @ | 11 |
| Dry salt | 9 | @ | 10 |
| HAY ℔ 100 ℔s | | | |
| No 1 Timothy | 95 | @ | 1 00 |
| Rice Straw | 50 | @ | 60 |
| N. C. Crop | 75 | @ | 80 |
| HOOP IRON, ℔ ℔— | 2½@ | | 3 |
| CHEESE—℔ ℔— | | | |
| Northern Factory | 13½@ | | 14 |
| Dairy Cream | 12 | @ | 13½ |
| Half cream | 10 | @ | 12½ |
| LARD, ℔ ℔— | | | |
| Northern | 8½@ | | 12½ |
| North Carolina | 10 | @ | 12½ |
| LIME, ℔ barrel | 1 10 | @ | 1 20 |
| PORK, ℔ barrel— | | | |
| City Mess | | @ | 18 50 |
| Rump | | @ | 18 50 |
| Prime | | @ | 17 50 |
| ROPE, ℔ ℔— | 11 | @ | 22 |
| SALT, ℔ sack, Alum | | @ | 1 35 |
| Liverpool | | @ | 1 40 |
| American | | @ | 90 |
| On 001 ℔ bags | 45 | @ | 48 |
| SUGAR, ℔ ℔—Standard Gran'd | | @ | 5 00 |
| Standard A | | @ | 4 |
| White Extra C | 4@ | | 4¼ |
| Extra C, Golden | | @ | 4¼ |
| C Yellow | | @ | 4¼ |
| LUMBER (city sawed) ℔ M ft— | | | |
| Ship Stuff, resawed | 18 00 | @ | 20 00 |
| Rough edge Plank | 15 00 | @ | 16 00 |
| West India cargoes, according to quality | 13 00 | @ | 18 00 |
| Dressed Flooring, seasoned | 18 00 | @ | 22 00 |
| Scantling and Board, com'n | 14 00 | @ | 15 00 |
| MOLASSES ℔ gallon— | | | |
| Barbadoes, in hogshead | | @ | 28 |
| Barbadoes, in barrels | | @ | 30 |
| Porto Rico, in hogsheads | 30 | @ | 31 |
| Porto Rico, in barrels | 30 | @ | 33 |
| Sugar House, in hogsheads | 12 | @ | 14 |
| Sugar House, in barrels | 14 | @ | 15 |
| Syrup, in barrels | 17 | @ | 27 |
| NAILS, ℔ keg, Cut, 60d basis | 2 40 | @ | 2 50 |
| SOAP, ℔ ℔—Northern | 3½@ | | 4 |
| STAVES, ℔ M—W. O. barrel | 6 00 | @ | 14 00 |
| R. O. Hogshead | | @ | 10 00 |
| TIMBER, ℔ M feet—Shipping | 8 00 | @ | 9 00 |
| Common mill | 4 00 | @ | 6 00 |
| Fair mill | 5 00 | @ | 6 50 |
| Prime mill | 6 50 | @ | 7 50 |
| Extra mill | 8 00 | @ | 9 50 |
| SHINGLES, N.C. Cypress sawed ℔ M 6x24 heart | 6 50 | @ | 7 00 |
| " Sap | 5 50 | @ | 6 00 |
| 5x20 Heart | 3 50 | @ | 4 00 |
| " Sap | 2 50 | @ | 3 00 |
| WHISKEY, ℔ gallon Northern | 1 80 | @ | 1 10 |

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## COMMERCIAL.

### WILMINGTON MARKET.

[Quoted officially at the closing by the Produce Exchange.]

STAR OFFICE, June 19

SPIRITS TURPENTINE—Market quiet and steady at 47c per gallon

ROSIN—Market steady at $1 10 per barrel for strained and $1 15 per barrel for good strained.

TAR—Market firm at $1.45 per barrel of 280 pounds.

CRUDE TURPENTINE—Market firm at $1.40 per barrel for hard, $2.50 for dip, and $2 60 for virgin.

Quotations same day last year—Spirits turpentine firm at 34½c; rosin firm at 95c@$1.00; tar firm at $1 50 bid; crude turpentine steady at $1.10@2.10.

RECEIPTS.

| | |
|---|---|
| Spirits turpentine | 131 |
| Rosin | 197 |
| Tar | 119 |
| Crude turpentine | 118 |

Receipts same day last year—92 casks spirits turpentine, 232 barrels rosin, 66 barrels tar, 146 barrels crude turpentine.

COTTON.

Market firm on a basis of 9c per pound for middling. Quotations:

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Ordinary | 6¼ | cts ℔ lb |
| Good ordinary | 8 | " " |
| Low middling | 8¾ | " " |
| Middling | 9 | " " |
| Good middling | 9 1-16 | " " |

Same day last year, market firm at 7¼c for middling.

Receipts—46 bales; same day last year, 8.

[Corrected Regularly by Wilmington Produce Commission Merchants, prices representing those paid for produce consigned to Commission Merchants.]

COUNTRY PRODUCE.

PEANUTS—North Carolina, firm. Prime, 65c; extra prime, 70c; fancy, 75c, per bushel of twenty-eight pounds. Virginia—Prime, 55c; extra prime, 60c; fancy, 65c. Spanish, 75@80c.

CORN—Firm, 80@82½c per bushel for white.

N. C. BACON—Steady; hams 13@15c per pound; shoulders, 10@12½c; sides, 10@11c.

EGGS—Firm at 15@16c per dozen.

CHICKENS—Firm. Grown, 27@35c; springs, 20@25c.

TURKEYS—No sale.

BEESWAX—Firm at 26c.

TALLOW—Firm at 5½@6¼c per pound.

SWEET POTATOES—Firm at 70@75c per bushel

## FINANCIAL MARKETS

By Telegraph to the Morning Star

NEW YORK, June 19.—Money on call was steady at 2½@3 per cent., the market closing at 2½ per cent. offered. Prime mercantile paper 4¼@5 per cent. Sterling exchange was firm, with actual business in bankers' bills at 487¼ for demand and at 485¼@485¼ for sixty days. The posted rates were 486 and 488¼. Commercial bills 484¼@485¼. Bar silver 52¾. Mexican dollars 42¼. Government bonds steady. State bonds inactive. Railroad bonds weak. U. S. refunding 2's, registered, 107¼; U. S. refunding 2's, coupon, 108¾; U. S. 3's, registered, 107¼; do. coupon, 107¼; U. S. 4's, new registered, 135¼; do.; coupon 135¼; S. U. 4's, old, registered, 109¾; do. coupon, 110¾; U. S. 5's registered, 105; do. coupon, 108; Southern Railway, 5's, 123¼. Stocks: Baltimore & Ohio 106¾, Chesapeake & Ohio 46¼; Manhattan L 130½; New York Central 156¾; Reading 65¾; do. 1st preferred 84; do. 2nd preferred 69¾; St. Paul 172¾; do. pref'd, 188¾; Southern Railway 36¾; do. pref'd 95¾; Amalgamated Copper 67¾; Am'n Tobacco —c; People's Gas 102¾; Sugar 126¾; Tennessee Coal and Iron 62¾; U. S. Leather 13; do. pref'd, 84; Western Union 91¾; U. S. Steel 37; do. preferred 88¾; National R. R. of Mexico 18¾; Virginia-Carolina Chemical 70¼; do. preferred, 131; Standard Oil 659@657.

BALTIMORE, June 19.—Seaboard Air Line, common, no sale; do. preferred, 45¾ bid; bonds—is, 85¼@85¾.

## NAVAL STORES MARKETS

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW YORK, June 19.—Rosin steady. Strained, common to good, $1 55@1 57½. Spirits turpentine dull.

CHARLESTON, June 19.—Spirits turpentine and rosin—nothing doing.

SAVANNAH, June 19.—Spirits turpentine was steady at 48c; receipts 1,963 casks; sales 830 casks; exports 83 casks. Rosin firm; receipts 3,622 barrels; sales 5,835 barrels; exports 3,910 barrels. Quote: A, B, C, D, $1 25; E, $1 26; F, $1 35; G, $1 40; H, $1 65; I, $2 05; K $2 55; M, $3 05; N, $3 40; W G, $3 55; W W, $3 65@6 70.

## COTTON MARKETS.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star

NEW YORK, June 19.—The cotton market opened firm, with prices three to seven points higher, in response to surprisingly bullish Liverpool cables and to reports that drought continued over important sections of the western belt. The shorts were particularly uneasy by the large spot sales in Liverpool—14,000 bales at 1-32d advance. There was a slight improvement after the call, but this was followed by a sharp set-back under Wall street selling and realizing by local holders, for the most part founded on reports of soaking rains in every part of the belt except Texas. There were few public buying orders in evidence and the market for the time being lost all its early strength. The Liverpool market, however, held generally firm and Europe was a fair buyer here from time to time. The South appeared to be selling the summer months. When least expected the whole market stiffened up and throughout the afternoon the tendency was strongly upward on a general scare of the bear interests to cover. Further drought news from Texas and scarcity of sellers, together with predictions for another sharp advance in Liverpool to-morrow prompted investment support as well. July worked up to 8.61, August to 8.31 and October to 7.93, from which there was some slight set back on the very close under profit-taking. The market was finally steady, and net eight to thirteen points higher. The total sales were estimated at 175,000 bales.

NEW YORK, June 19.—Cotton firm, at 9¼c; net receipts — bales; gross receipts — bales; stock—no report.

Spot cotton closed firm; middling uplands 9¼c; middling gulf 9¼c; sales 146 bales.

Cotton futures closed steady: June 8.86, July 8.58, August 8.38, September 8.00, October 7.90, November 7.84, December 7.85, January 7.85, February 7.85, March 7.87.

Total to-day—Net receipts 3,934 bales; exports to Great Britain 116 bales; exports to the Continent 2,631 bales; stock 362,710 bales.

Consolidated—Net receipts 18,066 bales; exports to Great Britain 3,649 bales; exports to France 1,519 bales; exports to the Continent 26,700 bales.

Total since September 1st.—Net receipts 7,439,431 bales; exports to Great Britain 2,962,007 bales; exports to France 713,351 bales; exports to the Continent 2,731,816 bales.

June 19.—Galveston, steady at 9¼c, net receipts 8 bales; Norfolk, quiet at 9¼c, net receipts 472 bales; Baltimore, nominal at 9¼c, net receipts — bales; Boston, quiet at 9¼c, net receipts 4 bales; Wilmington, firm at 9¼c, net receipts 46 bales; Philadelphia, quiet at 9¼c, net receipts — bales; Savannah, steady at 9¼c, net receipts 28 bales; New Orleans, steady at 9 1-16c, net receipts 829 bales; Mobile, nominal at 8¾, net receipts 10 bales; Memphis, steada at 8¾c, net receipts 37 bales; Augusta, quiet at 9c, net receipts 125 bales; Charleston, quiet and nominal, net receipts 4 bales.

## PRODUCE MARKETS.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star

NEW YORK, June 19.—Flour was steadier and generally 5c higher on spring patents. Rye flour dull; fair to good $3 25@3 45. Wheat—Spot easy; No 2 red 79¼c. Options closed 1¼c net higher; July closed 79¼c; September 77¾c; December 78¾c. Corn—Spot easy; No. 2 63½c at elevator. Options closed ½@¾c lower to ¼c higher on December. The sales included; July closed 66¾c; September closed 63¼c; December closed 50c. Oats—Spot steady; No. 2 46c. Lard firm; Western steam $10 65@10 70; June closed $10 67½, nominal; refined steady. Pork firm. Butter firm; creamery 19@22c; State dairy 18@21c. Eggs were firm; State and Pennsylvania 18c; Kentucky 15@16c. Potatoes steady; State and Western, per sack, $2 00@2 25, new $3 00@4 00; Southern prime, per barrel, $2 75@4 00. Rice dull. Coffee—Spot Rio dull; No. 7 invoice 5¼c; mild quiet; Cordova 8@11¼c. Sugar—Raw steady; fair refining 3c; centrifugal 96 test, 3½; refined quiet. Cheese weak; new State full cream, small colored, choice, 9¼@9¾c; small white 9¾@9¾c. Cabbage were weak; Norfolk, barrel crate 50c@$1 25. Freights to Liverpool—Cotton by steam 10c. Peanuts firm; fancy hand-picked 5c; other domestic 3¾@4¼c. Tallow steady. Cotton seed oil—There was no further change only a small trade. Closed easy at the following prices: Prime crude, f. o. b. 35c; prime summer yellow 44@44½c; off summer yellow 43½c; prime white 48@48½c; prime winter yellow 40@49c; prime meal $28 00, nominal.

CHICAGO, June 19.—Corn, although fairly active for an ordinary day, dropped back into second place to-day and napped, while wheat made a good running. For some reason not entirely clear France needs American wheat. Chicago sold it direct to Paris and with this influence in connection with the wet weather damage talk, July wheat made a net gain of ¼@1c. July corn closed ⅛ down and July oats ¼@½c up. Provisions were independently strong and closed 15c higher.

CHICAGO, June 19.—Cash prices: Flour steady. Wheat—No. 2 —c; No. 3 spring 74¼@74¾c; No. 2 red 79@80. Corn—No. 2 —c; No. 2 yellow 65¾c. Oats—No. 2 42¾@43c; No. 2 white 47¼c; No. 3 white; 47@47¼c. Mess pork, per barrel, $17 80@17 90. Lard, per 100 lbs., quoted at $10 52½. Short rib sides, loose, $10 47½ 10 70. Dry salted shoulders, boxed, $8 62½@9 00. Short clear sides, boxed, $11 15@11 25. Whiskey—Basis of high wines, 1 30.

The leading futures ranged as follows—opening, highest, lowest and closing: Wheat—No. 2 July 72¼@72¾, 73¼@73¾, 72¾, 73¾c; September 71¼@71¾, 72¼, 71¼, 72¼@72¾c; December 72¾@72¾, 73@73¾, 72¾@73. Corn—No. 2, July 65¼@66, 66¼, 65, 65¼c; September 58¾, 58¾, 58¾, 58¾@58¾c; December 44¼@44¼, 44¾, 44¾@, 44¾c. Oats—July, old, 36¾, 36¾, 36¼c; July, new, 39, 39¼, 39, 39¼@39c; September, old, 28¾, 28¾, 28¾, 28¼c; September new, 30¾, 31@31½, 30¾, 30¾@30¾c; December, new, 30¾, 31@31½, 30¼, 30¾@30¾c. Mess pork, per bbl—July $17 70, 17 75, 17 70, 17 75; September $17 82½, 17 95, 17 82½, 17 95. Lard, per 100 

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## DEMOCRATIC PLAN OF ORGANIZATION.

1. The unit of county organization shall be the voting precincts. In each precinct there shall be an executive committee, to consist of five active Democrats, who shall be elected by the Democratic voters at the several precincts in the meeting first called by the county executive committee. And said committee so elected shall elect one of its members as chairman, who shall preside at all committee meetings.

2. The chairmen of the several precinct committees shall compose the county executive committee, which shall meet at the same time and place as the county convention first held in each election year, and elect a chairman of said county committee who need not be a member of the committee, and he shall preside at all meetings of said committee, and shall hold his place until his successor shall be elected. A majority of said precinct chairmen, in person, or by proxy, shall constitute a quorum. The county committee shall likewise appoint a central committee of five, who shall act in its stead when the county committee is not in session.

3. In case there shall be a failure on the part of any precinct to elect its executive committee for a period of thirty days, the county executive committee shall appoint said committee from the Democratic voters of said precinct.

4. The members of the precinct committee shall elect to any vacancy occurring in said committee.

5. The county executive committee shall call all necessary conventions by giving at least ten days' notice by public advertisement in three public places in each precinct, at the court house door, and any Democratic newspapers that may be published in said county, requesting all Democrats of the county to meet in their respective precincts on a common day therein stated, which said day shall not be less than three days before the meeting of the county conventions, for the purpose of electing their delegates to the county conventions. Thereupon the meeting so held shall elect their delegates to represent the precincts in the county convention from the voters of the respective voting precincts, which delegates, or such of them as shall attend, shall vote the full Democratic strength of their respective voting precincts on all questions that may come before said county conventions. In case no meeting shall be held in any precinct in pursuance of said call, or no election shall be made, the precinct executive committee shall appoint such delegates.

PRIMARIES.

6. At every precinct meeting there shall (before the delegates to the county convention are elected) be a vote taken for the different candidates for office, whose names may be presented and the delegates shall vote in the county convention of their respective districts in accordance with this vote; that is to say, each candidate shall receive in the county convention that proportion of the vote to which the precinct may be entitled which he received in the precinct meeting. The chairman and secretary of the precinct meeting shall certify to the county convention the vote received by each candidate at the precinct meeting.

7. Each precinct shall be entitled to cast in the county convention one vote for every twenty-five Democratic votes, and one vote for fractions of thirteen Democratic votes cast by the township at the last preceding gubernatorial election. Provided, that every voting precinct shall be entitled to cast one vote, and each precinct may send as many delegates as it may see fit.

8. The chairmen of the precinct committees shall preside at all precinct meetings. In their absence any other member of said committees may preside.

COUNTY AND DISTRICT CONVENTIONS

1. The several county conventions shall be entitled to elect to their senatorial, judicial and congressional conventions one delegate and one alternate for every fifty Democratic votes, and one delegate for fractions of over twenty-five Democratic votes cast at the last preceding gubernatorial election in their respective counties; and none but delegates or alternates so elected shall be entitled to a seat in said conventions: Provided, further, That in all county conventions in which delegates shall be selected to attend any State, congressional, judicial or other convention, a vote shall be taken in accordance with the plan of organization as to the candidates whose names may be presented to such county convention. The delegates shall be selected from the friends and supporters of each candidate voted for, in proportion to the number of votes he shall receive in such county convention and no other instruction shall be given: Provided further, That when only one candidate is presented and voted for at each county convention it shall be lawful to instruct for such candidate.

2. At every county convention (before delegates to State, congressional, judicial, senatorial or other conventions are chosen) there shall be a vote taken for the different candidates for office whose names may be presented and the delegates shall vote their respective counties in accordance with this vote, that is to say each candidate shall receive in the State, congressional, judicial, senatorial or other convention the proportion of the vote to which the county may be entitled which he received in the county convention. The chairman and secretary of the county convention shall certify to each convention the vote received by each candidate given: Provided, That where only one candidate is presented it shall be lawful to instruct for him. At all State and district conventions the delegates from the different counties may disregard the vote of their respective counties as to any candidate: Provided, That a two-thirds majority of all his votes from the county consent.

3. The chairman, or in his absence any member of the county, senatorial, judicial and congressional convention shall call to order their respective conventions and hold chairmanship thereof until the convention shall elect its chairman.

4. The executive committees of the senatorial, congressional and judicial districts, respectively, shall, at the call of their respective chairmen, meet at some time and place in their respective districts, and the chairmen of said respective committees shall immediately notify the chairmen of the different county executive committees of the said appointment and the said county executive committee shall forthwith call conventions of their respective counties in conformity to said notice to send delegates to said respective district conventions.

STATE CONVENTIONS.

The State convention shall be composed of delegates appointed by the several county conventions. Each county shall be entitled to elect one delegate and one alternate for every one hundred and fifty Democratic votes and one delegate for fractions over seventy-five Democratic votes cast therein at the last preceding gubernatorial election; and none but delegates or alternates so elected shall be entitled to seats in said convention: Provided, That every county shall have at least one vote in the convention.

Resolution passed at meeting of executive committee, November 30, 1897:

"*Resolved*, That in accordance with the resolution hereinbefore adopted, all white electors who intend to vote with us in the next election, and who desire the re-establishment of Anglo-Saxon supremacy and honest government in North Carolina are cordially invited to participate in all our primaries and conventions."

GENERAL RULES.

1. At all conventions the delegates shall be selected as near as may be from the friends and supporters of the candidates voted for.

2. Such delegates—or alternates of absent delegates—as may be present at any Democratic convention shall be allowed to cast the whole vote to which their precinct or county may be entitled.

3. In all conventions provided for by this system, after a vote is cast, there shall be no change in such votes until the final result of the ballot shall be announced by the chairman of said convention.

4. All Democratic executive committees shall have the power to fill any vacancies occurring in their respective bodies.

5. The chairmen of the different county conventions shall certify the list of delegates and alternates of the different district and State conventions, and a certified list of said delegates and alternates to the secretary of the State central committee.

6. It shall be the duty of the county committee and its chairman to furnish such information and make such reports to the chairman of the State committee as he may desire.

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We will put on sale this week our regular 35c broom for 23c, our 50c broom for 35c.

In our Slipper and Shoe Department we are trying hard to unload our stock. We are giving the best value money can buy. Children's Slippers from 50c to $1.25 a pair; Ladies' from 59c to $2 a pair.

If you are needing a suit of men's or boys' clothing, we can save you 25 per cent. on your purchase. See our stock before you buy elsewhere.

Fifteen dozen men's 50c caps we are selling now for 25c; boys' wool golf caps, in assorted colors, for 5c each. We quote prices because we do not dread competition. We sell more goods and better goods for the money than any store in North Carolina. We want your trade. We offer you values that cannot be equalled and give you a valuable present free with cash purchases.

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Between New York, Tampa Atlanta, New Orleans & Points South & West.

Schedule in Effect April 13,

TRAIN 29 — Leaves Wilmington at 3:05 P. M., arrives Lumberton 5:30 P. M., Pembroke 5:45 P. M., Maxton 6:15 P. M., Hamlet 7:15 P. M., Charlotte 10:30 P. M.

TRAIN 40 — Leaves Charlotte 4:30 A. M., Hamlet at 8:10 A. M., arrives Maxton 9:32 A. M., Pembroke 9:50 A. M., Lumberton 9:56 A. M., Wilmington 12.15 noon.

WESTBOUND FROM HAMLET.

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| Hamlet | 10.35 p m | 7.25 a m |
| Ar Monroe | 12.18 a m | 9.05 a m |
| Ar Charlotte | .... | 10.15 a m |
| Ar Chester | 1.36 a m | 10.55 a m |
| Ar Greenwood | 3.43 a m | 12.30 p m |
| Ar Athens | 6.13 a m | 2.50 p m |
| Ar Atlanta | 8.50 a m | 4.55 p m |

Close connection at Atlanta for Montgomery, Mobile, New Orleans and all points in Texas, Mexico and California; also for Chattanooga, Nashville, Louisville, St. Louis, Cincinnati, Chicago, and Western and Northwestern points.

SOUTHBOUND FROM HAMLET.

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| Lv Hamlet | 10.35 p m | 7.00 a m |
| Ar Columbia | 1.06 a m | 9.40 a m |
| Ar Savannah | 4.55 a m | 2.10 p m |
| Ar Jacksonville | 9.15 a m | 7.45 p m |
| Ar Tampa | 5.40 p m | 6.45 a m |

NORTHBOUND FROM HAMLET.

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| Lv Hamlet | 10.40 p m | 8.05 a m |
| Ar Raleigh | 1.30 a m | 11.08 a m |
| Ar Norfolk | 5.30 a m | 1.45 p m |
| Ar Portsmouth | .... | 7.15 a m | 5.35 p m |
| Ar Norfolk | .... | | |

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| Lv Hamlet | 10.40 p m | 8.25 a m | 7.40 a m |
| Ar Raleigh | 1.30 a m | 11.30 a m | 11.00 a m |
| Ar Norfolk | 5.30 a m | 1.32 a m | 1.45 p m |
| Ar Petersburg | 5.54 a m | 4.07 p m | 4.55 p m |
| Ar Richmond | 6.35 a m | 4.55 p m | 5.45 p m |
| Ar Washington | 10.10 a m | 8.36 p m | 9.30 p m |
| Ar Baltimore | 11.25 a m | 11.25 p m | 11.25 p m |
| Ar New York | 4.18 p m | 6.30 a m | 6.30 a m |

Train 40 leaving Hamlet at 8.10 a. m. takes passengers from train 31, leaving New York at 12.35 p. m.; Baltimore at 5.45 p. m.; Washington 7.00 p. m.; Richmond 10.07 p. m.; Portsmouth 5.20 p. m.; Norfolk 8.30 p. m.; Raleigh 4.12 a. m., arriving at Hamlet at 7.00 a. m. From train 30, leaving Atlanta 1.00 p. m.; Athens 3.32 p. m.; Chester 4.06 a. m.; Charlotte 4.50 a. m.; Monroe 5.40 a. m.; arriving Hamlet 7.00 a. m.

From train 66 leaving Jacksonville 3.05 p. m.; Savannah 12.10 p. m.; Columbia 8.58 a. m.; arriving Hamlet 8.05 a. m.

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For tickets, Pullman reservations, etc., apply to Thomas D. Meares, General Agent, Wilmington, N. C.

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## Atlantic and North Carolina Railroad

Time Table No. 16.

To Take Effect Sunday, Oct. 21, 1900, at 12.01 A. M.

| GOING EAST. Pass'g'r Trains Arrive | Pass'g'r Trains Leave | STATIONS. | GOING WEST. Pass'g'r Trains Arrive | Pass'g'r Trains Leave |
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| P. M. | P. M. | | A. M. | A. M. |
| ..... | 3 40 | Goldsboro | 11 05 | ..... |
| ..... | 4 23 | Kinston | 10 19 | ..... |
| 5 40 | 5 50 | Newbern | 9 37 | 9 00 |
| 7 05 | 7 07 | Morehead City | 7 55 | 7 27 |
| P. M. | P. M. | | A. M. | A. M. |

Train 4 connects with W. & W. train bound North, leaving Goldsboro at 11.25 A. M., and with Southern Railway train West, leaving Goldsboro 4.00 P. M., and with W. & N. at Newbern for Wilmington and intermediate points.

Train 3 connects with Southern Railway train. Arriving at Goldsboro 1.06 P. M., and with W. & W. train from the North at 1.05 P. M. No. 1 train also connects with W. & N. for Wilmington and intermediate points.

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my 13 tf Wilmington, N. C.

## Seacoast Railroad.

Summer Schedule, 1902, in effect June 1st.

| Leave Wilmington. | Leave Ocean View, |
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| *6.30 A. M. daily. | *7.40 A. M. daily. |
| 10.30 A. M. daily | 11.30 A. M. daily. |
| 1.00 P. M. Sat. only. | 2.00 P. M. Sat. only. |
| 3.00 P. M. daily. | 4.00 P. M. daily. |
| 5.30 P. M. daily. | 6.30 P. M. daily. |
| 7.30 P. M. daily. | 10.00 P. M. daily. |
| †11.00 P. M. | †12.00 P. M. |

*Except Sunday.
†Friday and Saturday only.

FREIGHT.

All classes of freight will be handled on the 10.30 A. M. and 5.30 P. M. trains. The 6.30 A. M. and the 7.30 P. M. trains will carry perishable freight only.

| Freight for 6.30 A. M. train, | Not rec'd after 6.15 A. M. |
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| " 10.30 A. M. | " 10.00 A. M. |
| " 5.30 P. M. | " 5.00 P. M. |
| " 7.30 P. M. | " 7.15 P. M. |

Shippers and consignees will please take notice of the above, and see that no orders are received or sent for goods to be shipped by these trains which cannot be delivered at the Company's freight depot within the time specified.

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## Atlantic Coast Line R. R. Co

Schedule in Effect May 25, 1902.

NORTH BOUND.

| DEPARTURE FROM WILMINGTON—NORTH BOUND. | |
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| DAILY 9.30 A. M. | No. 48—Passenger—Due Magnolia 11.05 A. M., Warsaw 11.21 A. M., Goldsboro 12.21 P. M., Wilson 1.19 P. M., Rocky Mount 1.53 P. M., Tarboro 2.31 P. M. Weldon 4.55 P. M., Petersburg 6.40 P. M., Richmond 7.45 P. M., Norfolk 5.55 P. M., Washington 11.49 P. M., Baltimore 1.55 A. M., Philadelphia 4.36 A. M., New York 7.19 A. M., *Boston 1.05 P. M. |
| DAILY 7.00 P. M. | No. 40—Passenger—Due Magnolia 1.55 P. M., Warsaw 2.40 P. M., Goldsboro 2.27 P. M., Wilson 10.30 P. M., †Tarboro 9.04 A. M., Rocky Mount 11.02 P. M. Weldon 1.00 A. M., †Norfolk 1.00 P. M. Petersburg 8.05 A. M., Richmond 9.15 A. M., Washington 7.54 A. M., Baltimore 9.15 A. M., Philadelphia 11.03 A. M. New York 1.51 P. M., Boston 9.00 P. M. |
| DAILY except Sunday 3.35 P. M. | No. 62—Passenger—Due Jacksonville 4.13 P. M., Newbern 5.40 P. M. |

SOUTH BOUND.

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| DAILY except Sunday 6.00 A. M. | No. 51—Due Lake Waccamaw 7.10 A. M., Chadbourn, 7.41 A. M., Marion 8.43 A. M., Florence 9.05 A. M., Lanes 11.26 A. M., Charleston 1.10 P. M. |
| DAILY 3.45 P. M. | No. 55—Passenger—Due Lake Waccamaw 5.03 P. M., Chadbourn 5.43 P. M. Marion 6.55 P. M., Florence 8.15 P. M., Sumter 9.30 P. M., Columbia 10.55 P. M. Denmark 8.01 A. M., Augusta 6.15 A. M. Macon 11.15 A. M., Atlanta 12.35 P. M. Charleston 11.15 P. M., Savannah 2.05 A. M., Jacksonville 6.30 A. M., Augustine 10.50 A. M., Tampa 10.00 P. M. |

WEST BOUND.

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| DAILY 9.10 A. M. | No. 54—Passenger—Due Fayetteville 12.00 P.M., leaves Fayetteville 12.45 P. M., Arrives Sanford 1.58 P. M. |

ARRIVALS AT WILMINGTON—FROM THE SOUTH.

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| DAILY 4.00 P. M. | No. 49—Passenger—Leave Boston *1.45 P. M., New York *9.30 P. M., Philadelphia 12.30 A. M., Baltimore 2.35 A. M., Washington 4.30 A. M., Richmond 7.05 A. M., Petersburg 8.45 A. M., Norfolk 8.30 A. M., Weldon 11.50 A. M., Tarboro 12.32 P. M., Rocky Mount 12.52 P. M., Wilson 2.40 P. M., Goldsboro 3.15 P. M. Warsaw 4.10 P. M., Magnolia 4.25 P. M. |
| DAILY 10.10 A. M. | No. 41—Passenger—Leave Boston 10 night, New York 9.30 A. M., Philadelphia 12.08 P. M., Baltimore 2.15 P. M. Washington 3.45 P. M., Richmond 7.15 P. M., Petersburg 8.02 P. M., †Norfolk 4.00 P. M., Weldon, 7.41 P. M., †Tarboro 7.32 P. M., Rocky Mount 8.45 A. M Leave Wilson 9.36 A. M., Goldsboro 10.21 A. M., Warsaw 8.24 A. M. Magnolia 8.37 A. M. |
| DAILY except Sunday 12.15 P. M. | No. 53—Passenger—Leave Newbern 9.20 A. M., Jacksonville 12.30 A. M. |

FROM THE SOUTH.

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| DAILY except Sunday 11.45 P. M. | No. 50—Leave Charleston 4.35 P. M. Lanes 6.21 P. M., Florence 8.30 P. M., Marion 9.50 P. M., Chadbourn 10.08 P. M., Lake Waccamaw 10.21 P. M. |
| DAILY 1.40 P. M. | No. 54—Passenger—Leave Tampa 9.40 A. M., Sanford 3.10 P. M., Jacksonville 5.50 P. M., Savannah 1.30 A. M. Charleston 6.45 A. M., Atlanta 7.50 A. M. Macon 1.00 A. M., Augusta 1.50 P. M., Denmark 4.05 P. M. Columbia 6.35 A. M., Sumter 8.05 P. M. Florence 10.10 A. M., Marion 10.54 A. M., Chadbourn 11.50 A. M., Lake Waccamaw 12.06 A. M. |

EAST BOUND.

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| DAILY 7.30 P. M. | No. 52—Passenger—Leave Sanford 3.10 P. M., arrive Fayetteville 4.57 P. M., leave Fayetteville 4.45 P. M. |

Connections at Fayetteville with train No. 78 at Maxton with the Carolina Central railroad at Red Springs with the Red Springs and Bowmore railroad, at Sanford with the Seaboard Air Line and Southern Railway, at Gulf with the Durham and Charlotte Railroad.

Bennettsville Branch—Train leaves Bennettsville 8.10 A. M. Maxton 9.05 A. M., Red Springs 9.30 A. M., Parkton 10.06 A. M., arrive Fayetteville 10.55 A. M. Returning leaves Fayetteville 5.00 P. M., Hope Mills 5.35 P. M., Red Springs 5.53 P. M., Maxton 6.23 P. M., arrives Bennettsville 7.05 P. M.

Train between Rocky Mount and Richmond leaves Rocky Mount 7.15 A. M., arrive Weldon 8.17 A. M., arrive Petersburg 10.18 A. M., arrive Richmond 11.15 A. M.

Trains on the Scotland Neck Branch Road leave Weldon 2.15 P. M., Halifax 3.06 P. M.; arrive Scotland Neck 4.10 P. M., Greenville 5.47 P. M., Kinston 6.45 P. M. Returning, leaves Kinston 7.20 A. M., Greenville 8.30 A. M.; arriving Halifax at 11.06 A. M., Weldon 11.50 A. M. Daily except Sunday.

Trains on Washington Branch leave Washington 8.00 A. M. and 1.45 P. M.; arrive Parmele 8.55 A. M. and 3.10 P. M.; returning leaves Parmele 9.15 A. M. and 5.30 P. M.; arrives Washington 10.25 A. M and 6.15 P. M. Daily except Sunday.

Train leaves Tarboro, N. C., daily except Sunday, 4.35 P. M.; arrives Plymouth 6.36 P. M. and 6.30 P. M. Returning leaves Plymouth daily except Sunday, 7.05 A. M. and Sunday 9.00 A. M.; arrive Tarboro 9.55 A. M. and 11.50 A. M.

Trains leave Goldsboro daily except Sunday 8.00 A. M., arriving Smithfield 8.10 A. M. Returning leaves Smithfield 7.00 A. M., arrives at Goldsboro 8.26 A. M.

Train on Nashville Branch leaves Rocky Mount at 9.30 A. M., 4.00 P. M.; arrives Nashville 10.30 A. M. 4.23 P. M., Spring Hope 11.00 A. M., 4.40 P. M. Returning, leave Spring Hope 11.30 A. M., 5.15 P. M., Nashville 11.45 A. M. 5.45 P. M., arrives at Rocky Mount 12.10 A. M. 3.30 P. M. Daily except Sunday.

Train on Clinton Branch leaves Warsaw for Clinton, daily, except Sunday, 8.30 A. M. and 4.15 P. M. Returning, leaves Clinton 7.00 A. M. and 9.30 P. M.

Train leaves Fee Dee 10.28 A. M., arrive Latta 10.46 A. M., Dillon 10.58 A. M., Rowland 11.15 A. M. Returning, leave Rowland 6.22 P. M.; arrives Dillon 6.44 P. M., Latta 7.00 P. M., Fee Dee 7.25 P. M., daily.

Trains on Conway Branch leave Chadbourn 12.10 P. M.; arrive Conway 1.40 P. M.; returning leave Conway 2.30 P. M. arrive Chadbourn 3.20 P. M. leave Chadbourn 5.35 P. M.; arrive Kired 6.30 P. M., returning leave Kired 8.40 A. M., arrive Chadbourn 11.35 A. M. Daily except Sunday.

Trains leave Sumter 6.50 P. M., Manning 8.13 P. M.; arrive Lane's 7.35 P. M.; leave Lane's 8.35 A. M., Manning 9.14 A. M.; arrive Sumter 9.45 A. M. Daily.

Georgetown and Western Railroad leave Lane's 8.40 A. M., ††7.00 P. M.; arrive Georgetown 10 A. M., †8.30 P. M.; leave Georgetown 6.30 A. M., †4.15 P. M.; arrive Lane's 8.00 A. M.; †8.35 P. M.

Trains leave Florence daily except Sunday at 10.08 A. M.; arrive Darlington 10.30 A. M., Hartsville 11.55 P. M., Cheraw 11.45 A. M., Wadesboro 12.50 P. M.; leave Florence daily except Sunday at 8.15 P. M.; arrive Darlington 8.40 P. M., Bennettsville 9.56 P. M., Gibson 10.30 P. M. Leave Florence Sunday only 10.05 A. M., arrive Darlington 10.30 A. M.

Leave Gibson daily except Sunday at 6.15 A. M. Bennettsville 7.15 A. M.; arrive Darlington 8.15 A. M. Leave Darlington 8.50 A. M.; arrive Florence 9.15 A. M. Leave Wadesboro daily except Sunday 4.10 P. M., Cheraw 5.10 P. M., Hartsville 9.30 A. M., Darlington 6.35 P. M.; arrive Florence 7.00 P. M. Leave Darlington 8.50 A. M., arrive Florence 9.15 A. M.

Wilson and Fayetteville Branch leave Wilson 1.50 P. M., 11.10 P. M., arrive Selma 3.45 P. M. 12.10 P. M., Smithfield 8.00 P. M., Dunn 3.42 P. M. Fayetteville 4.50 P. M., † 2.24 A. M., Rowland 6.52 A. M., returning leave Rowland 11.15 A. M., Fayetteville 12.35 P. M., 10.02 P. M., Dunn 1.34 P. M., Smithfield 2.50 P. M. Selma 5.10 P. M., 11.40 P. M., arrive Wilson 2.57 P. M., 12.23 A. M.

Trains leave Sumter 4.45 A. M., Creston 5.37 A. M., arrive Denmark 6.31 A. M. Returning leave Denmark 4.58 P. M., Creston 5.34 P. M. Sumter 6.30 P. M. Daily.

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# The Morning Star.

WILMINGTON, N. C.

FRIDAY MORNING, JUNE 20.


## STRIKERS USE DYNAMITE.

**Five Men Killed in a Mine--The Survivors Fired Upon as They Came Out of the Shaft**

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

ROANOKE, VA., June 19.—The bodies of Henry Harston and Peter Harston, two miners, reached here to-day from Williamston, W. Va., where they were killed by an explosion of dynamite in a mine yesterday evening. A miner who accompanied the remains said that about twenty-five miners were at work in a mine near Williamston, when a crowd entered with rifles, demanding that they should come out. Upon the miners' refusal to obey their commands the strikers threw a quantity of dynamite into the shaft, which exploded, killing five of them. As soon as the survivors came out of the shaft the strikers fired upon them and injured several, but none was thought to be fatally shot.

A number of miners arrived here to-day from the Chesapeake and Ohio fields in West Virginia. They say that the trouble is not settled by any means and that a great many men are leaving and no one is taking their places.

A large band of marchers left Good Will operation to-day for Crane Creek district. They expect to camp at Ashland to-night and cover the North Fork territory to-morrow. These marchers are not committing violence. The only trouble anticipated is from armed miners in the vicinity of Pocahontas. The military companies of Roanoke are being held subject to call.

## ACCIDENT NEAR SHELBY.

**Railroad Train Wrecked--One Man Killed. A Dozen Passengers Injured.**

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

SHELBY, N. C., June 19.—A portion of a mixed train on the South Carolina and Georgia extension railroad fell through an approach to the bridge over Broad river this afternoon, killing one man and injuring over a dozen passengers. The dead: Terry Grigg, Shelby. Injured: Edward Turner, conductor; D. W. Phiffer, trestle master; Riley Whisnant, a negro. A dozen passengers, including two ladies, were also injured, but their names are not known. About the time the rear coach was on the span just above the river Engineer Albert felt the trestle giving way and opening the throttle sent the train across the bridge, saving all of it except the rear coach and three box cars. The coach fell, precipitately, fifty feet to the brink of the river, swollen by the recent rains, and was caught by the stone pier supporting the bridge, which saved the passengers from a watery grave.

## ISTHMIAN CANAL PROJECT.

**The Spooner Amendment to the House Bill Adopted by the Senate.**

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

WASHINGTON, June 19.—The Spooner amendment, as amended and adopted by the Senate to-day, provides that the President, through the law officers of the government, shall determine whether a clear title can be obtained to the Panama company's property, rights and concessions. If he shall be satisfied that such title can be obtained, he shall purchase the property, rights and concessions for forty millions of dollars. If, in his opinion, a clear title cannot be obtained, he shall proceed to construct an isthmian canal by the Nicaragua route. The bill further provides that a commission of seven shall be appointed by the President to supervise the work and to make arrangements for all the details of it. It also provides that gold bonds in the sum of $130,000,000, bearing two per cent. interest, shall be issued to raise money with which to construct the canal.

## ERUPTION OF MONT PELEE.

**Twenty-two Houses Destroyed at Basse Pointe—No Loss of Life.**

By Cable to the Morning Star.

FORT DE FRANCE, ISLAND OF MARTINIQUE, Wednesday, June 18.—A column of slime, one hundred metres high, has been ejected from the volcano of Mont Pelee and has fallen on Basse Pointe, enveloping the lower portion of the town and completely raziug twenty-two houses. No loss of life has been reported.

The volcano continues to throw forth cinders on the northern part of the island which has been rendered uninhabitable. Previous to the falling of the mass of slime or mud on Basse Pointe, that place and Lorraine had been inundated by torrential rains. The part of Basse Pointe which suffered to-day is now covered to the thickness of about five metres with slimy mud. Le Precheur also suffered from this latest eruption of Mont Pelee.

## BASEBALL.

**Scores of Games Played Yesterday by the League Teams.**

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

Cleveland, 3; Washington, 5.
Chicago, 2; Baltimore, 0.
Detroit, 1; Boston, 4.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Pittsburg, 2; St. Louis, 3.
Brooklyn, 6; Philadelphia, 1.
Cincinnati, 5; Chicago, 7.

SOUTHERN LEAGUE.

Chattanooga, 11; Atlanta, 2.
Nashville, 8; Birmingham, 4.

Secretary Root yesterday made answer to the Senate resolution calling for information as to the cost of the war in the Philippines. Reports from the various bureau officers are submitted showing that the total up to date is $170,326,586.


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## IN INTERESTS OF PARTY HARMONY.

**Gathering of Representative Democrats at the Tilden Club in New York.**

**PROMINENT MEN PRESENT.**

**Addresses by Ex-President Grover Cleveland, Hon. David B. Hill and Others. Hon. Wm. J. Bryan Was Invited But Did Not Attend.**

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW YORK, June 19.—Democratic unity was the key-note to-night of a great gathering of representative Democrats who had come to attend the opening of the handsome new quarters of the Tilden Club. Addresses were made by prominent Democrats and afterward a collation was served in the banquet hall to the distinguished guests of the evening and a buffet supper was served in the basement for the rank and file.

To Democrats the event was one of the most memorable for many a day, as Grover Cleveland and David B. Hill met in harmony, seeking to draw the factions of their party together. It was the first public political appearance of the ex-President in five years. He spoke first, ex-Senator Hill spoke after him and then Governor Montague of Virginia, and Colonel W. A. Gaston of Boston delivered addresses.

William J. Bryan had been invited to attend tonight and speak but no reply was received from him.

Mr. Cleveland arrived at the club house accompanied by H. D. Hotchkiss, Dr. Joseph E. Bryant and John C. Calhoun. He had scarcely got into the building when ex-Senator David B. Hill, accompanied by L. Laflin Kellog, came in. Mr. Hill's eye caught Mr. Cleveland as soon as he had entered the club and a moment later they were cordially shaking each others hand.

Loud and prolonged applause greeted the two men as they entered the assembly room. President Dowling of the club soon began to speak and in introducing ex-President Cleveland said:

"We have founded this club to promote the best interests of the Democratic party. For that reason we have invited Democrats from all parts of the country to listen to the words of those prominent in their party We have named this club after that statesman, Sam J. Tilden, and this club stands for the political and governmental honesty for which the name of Tilden stands.

We have with us here to-night the greatest of living Democrats. The speaker I have the honor of introducing to you is the successful candidate of two nominations, ex-President Grover Cleveland."

There was tremendous applause as Mr. Cleveland ascended the small platform. This applause wound up with three cheers and a "tiger."

**Mr. Cleveland's Speech.**

When quiet was restored the former President began speaking. "He said:

I have been urged to participate in this occasion by those who have assured me that this handsome structure is to be dedicated to night to the rehabilitation and consolidation of the Democratic party, under the inspiration of a name which during the days of Democratic strength and achievement was honored in every Democratic household. Such an assurance made to one who followed with hearty devotion the leadership of Samuel J. Tilden when living, and who has since found in his career and fame the highest incentive to Democratic steadfastness, could hardly fail to overcome the temptations of any contented retirement from political activity. Perhaps there are those who would define my position as one of banishment instead of retirement. Against this I shall not enter a protest. It is sufficient for me in either case, that I have followed in matters of difference within our party, the teachings and counsel of the great Democrat in whose name party peace and harmony are to-night invoked. No confession of party sin should therefore be expected of me. I have none to make; nor do I crave political absolution. I am here to take counsel with others professing the same party faith, concerning the Democratic situation. I suppose we all are convinced that this situation might be improved, and some of us may think it is perilously undermined. Whatever the measure of its impairment may be, our condition as an organization cannot be improved by calling each other harsh names, nor by inaugurating a system of arbitrary proscription and banishment. The members of a business firm in financial embarrassment, should not sit down and look in each others faces in mute despair; neither will they regain financial soundness or the confidence of the business community by recrimination and quarrel; nor will any members of the firm aid in its restoration to solvent strength, by an angry insistence upon a continuation of the business methods which have invited its embarrassment.

The Democratic party is very far from political insolvency; but no one here should be offended by the suggestion that its capital and prospects have suffered serious injury since Mr. Tilden was elected President. Then and afterwards Northern Democratic States were not rare curiosities, Northern Democratic Senators, now practically extinct, were quite numerous, and then Democratic Governors, now almost never seen, were frequently encountered.

If this state of impairment exists, an instant duty presses upon the managers of the Democratic establishment; and one which they cannot evade with honor. Those of us less prominent in the party—the rank and file—are longing to be led through old Democratic ways to old Democratic victories. We were never more ready to do enthusiastic battle than now, if we can only be marshalled outside the shadow of predestined defeat. Is it too much to ask our leaders to avoid paths that are known to lead to disaster? Is it too much to ask that proven errors be abandoned and that we be delivered from a body of death, and relieved from the burden of issues which have been killed by the decrees of the American people? Ought we not to be fed upon something better than the husks of defeat? If these questions are met in an honest, manly fashion, I believe it will be productive of the best kind of Democratic harmony.

In dealing with new issues we of the Democratic faith are extremely fortunate in the simplicity of Democratic standards and the ease with which new questions can be measured by those standards. A party based upon care for the interests of all the people as their aggregate condition demands, with no unjust favoritism for any particular class; a party devoted to the plan of popular government as our fathers ordained it, and for the purposes which they sought to establish; a party whose conservatism opposes dangerous and un-American experiments and yet puts no barrier in the way of genuine and safe progress, ought to be able to deal with new questions in a manner quite consistent with Democratic doctrine, and stimulating to Democratic impulses and instincts.

Let us not forget, however, that it is not in the search of new and gaudy issues, nor in the interpretation of strange visions that a strong and healthy Democracy displays its splendid power. Another party may thrive on the ever shifting treatment of the ever shifting moods of popular restlessness, or by an insincere play upon unreasoning prejudice and selfish anticipation; but the Democratic party never. Democracy has already in store the doctrines for which it fights its successful battles; and it will have them in store as long as the people are kept from their own, and just as long as their rights are sacrificed, by favoritism in Government care and by inequality in Government burdens, by the encouragement of huge industrial aggregations that throttle individual enterprise, by the reckless waste of public money, and by the greatest of all injuries, as it underlies nearly all others, a system of tariff taxation whose robbing exactions are far beyond the needs of economical and legitimate Government expenditures, which purchases support by appeals to sordidness and greed and which continually corrupts the public conscience.

What but infatuation with the visage of defeat can explain the subordination of these things by Democrats when they prepare for battle?

If we are to have a rehabilitation and re-alignment of our party in the sense suggested, it is important that it be done openly and with no mystery or double meaning. Our people are too much on the alert to accept political deliverances they do not understand; and the enthusiasm of the Democratic rank and file does no thrive on mystery.

The Democratic harmony of which we hear so much, cannot be effectively constructed by mathematical rule, nor by a formal agreement on the part of those who have been divided, that there shall be harmony. It grows up naturally when true Democratic principles are plainly announced, when Democratic purposes are honestly declared, and, when as a result of these, confidence and enthusiasm stir the Democratic blood. It was such harmony as this, growing out of such conditions which with the battle cry of "Tilden and Reform" gave us the Democratic victory of 1876 against odds great enough to discourage any but a harmonious democracy, and against an opposing force brazen and desperate enough to take from us by downright robbery what the voters of the land gave to us.

I believe the times point to another Democratic opportunity as near at hand, but I believe we shall reap the fruits of it only by following the line of conduct I have indicated. In any event I have a comforting and abiding faith in the indestructibility of the party which has so many times shown its right to live and its power for good and I am sure the reserve of patriotic Democratic wisdom will at some time declare itself in the rescue of our country and our party.

My days of political activity are past, and I shall not hereafter assume to participate in party councils. I am absolutely content with retirement; but I still have one burning, anxious, political aspiration. I want to see, before I die, the restoration to perfect health and supremacy of that Democracy whose mission it is to bless the people—a Democracy true to itself—untempted by clamor—unmoved by the gusts of popular passion, and uncorrupted by offers of strange alliance; the Democracy of patriotism—the Democracy of safety—the Democracy of Tilden, and the Democracy that deserves and wins success.

At the point in his speech where Mr. Cleveland announced his absolute retirement from politics, the crowd yelled, "no, no, no!"

Senator David B. Hill, who spoke next, was received almost as enthusiastically as Mr. Cleveland. Mr. Dowling in introducing him said:

"Mr. Hill is to-day the recognized leader of his party in New York State, and under his guidance and leadership we are confident of his victory."

**Hon. D. B. Hill.**

Mr. Hill, among other things said: The signs of the times point unmistakably to an awaken interest in the promotion of the success of Democratic principles of government. These manifestations, however, are within strict party lines, but renewed activity in political affairs is displayed as well among those of independent proclivities and among the people generally, who are not satisfied with existing political conditions and desire a change of the public policies now prevailing.

"There is specially a deep conviction among thoughtful people that there is something radically wrong in the foreign policy of the present administration."

Mr. Hill here referred to the recent speech of Mr. Hoar in the Senate upon the Philippine question and said that it had made a profound and lasting impression upon the heart and conscience of the country.

"This great and patriotic speech," continued the speaker, "was not met or answered by the address of President Roosevelt, delivered on Decoration Day, in violation of the proprieties of the occasion, wherein he purposely or inadvertently confused the well recognized distinctions which exist between the administration and the government—between the army and the government, and between all the other officials of the government and the government itself, and assumed to question the loyalty of those who have ventured to criticise the cruel acts of a few officers of the army, who, if semi official reports are correct, have undoubtedly disgraced the uniform which they wear.

"Loyalty to this government does not consist in ostentatious professions of 'intense Americanism,' nor in indifference to the preservation or spread of republican forms of government everywhere, nor in suppressing free speech, nor in conquering the free people of other and distant lands who desire to govern themselves, nor in unlawfully sending accredited representatives of this government abroad without the consent of the Senate, to wit, the coronation of a king whose monarchical government, to its shame be it said, has just succeeded in crushing the two struggling republics of South Africa.

"And right here I may be permitted to suggest that the administration of President Roosevelt will be particularly noted in history as the one during the existence of which the republics of those brave and gallant people were destroyed—destroyed without one word of protest or one effort to save them, or one kind word of sympathy for them in their unequal struggle expressed on the part of this, the greatest republic of the world, whose influence should always be exerted on the side of free institutions.

"In contrast with that attitude of the Roosevelt administration we should not forget the vigorous and patriotic action of the Democratic President—who honors this club with his presence here to-night—who, when that same mighty Empire of Great Britain in 1895 attempted to crush the republic of Venezuela, promptly sent that famous message to Congress, which electrified the country, wherein he insisted that Great Britain must not be permitted, under the pretence of a boundary dispute, to seize Venezuela without first submitting the alleged differences to international arbitration, or else this government would interpose its strong arm for the protection of that republic. And Great Britain finally concluded to arbitrate the dispute and Venezuela was saved from destruction."

## THE NEW JERSEY SILK MILL RIOTS.

**All But Three of the Factories in Hudson County Forced to Close Down.**

**THE SITUATION IN PATERSON.**

**Employes in the Mills There Are Armed With Revolvers—Extra Police Disperse a Mob of Anarchists. Troops Held in Readiness.**

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW YORK, June 19.—All but three of the silk mills in Hudson county, N. J., have closed down. About 10,000 hands are, as a consequence, out of employment, and within the next 24 hours the number will likely reach 18,000. The immediate cause of the shutting down of the mills was the dyers' strike riot in Paterson. The majority of the proprietors of the silk manufacturing establishments in Hudson, fearing an outbreak of similar trouble, had decided, as the result of a conference, to close down indefinitely.

The expected trouble came late in the afternoon, when a mob of 500 men and women gathered at Simons' mill, on Union Hill. The mob formed in West Hoboken and, with a band at their head, marched to Union Hill. Postmaster Armbruster knocked senseless with his fist one of the mob and immediately stones began to fly. Three of the police were slightly hurt. The rioters made a rush, but Police Captain Knight and his five men laid fourteen of them low with their clubs. Then the fire department was called out and dispersed the mob with streams from the hose. Seventeen arrests were made.

**Situation at Paterson.**

PATERSON, N. J., June 19.—In the main this was a quiet day in this city. The most important event was the suspension from duty of Chief of Police Fred C. Gault by Mayor Hincheliffe and the assumption by the mayor of the duties of that position. William McQueen, the Englishman who, who was prominent at yesterday's meeting before the rioting began, has left the city and is believed to be in New York. Galleano, the Italian, and Grossman, the German, who are said to have been prominent yesterday, have also kept from public notice. Mayor Hincheliffe wishes to interview all these men.

Lacking a leader and keeping out of the heavy rain of the early day, the rioters of yesterday did nothing when a majority of the mills they closed yesterday by their violence, resumed work.

The police are ordered to shoot straight if they should have another encounter with the rioters and the mayor has had copies of the riot act distributed.

This week's edition of *La Questione Social*, one of the Anarchist papers, was set up here but was sent to a Passaic printer to run off the forms. He was ordered not to handle it and complied.

Mayor Hincheliffe took personal command of the police of this city today. He was much displeased that the meeting of strikers Tuesday night was not broken up. It was at this meeting that speeches were made which it is believed led to the disorders of yesterday. The mayor went to police headquarters to-day and all the men of the reserves lined up in front of him. Then he said to them; "Men, if your clubs prove useless, you know what to do. Be aggressive from the start."

The reserves, who looked as if they fully approved the command as to the aggressiveness, were then dismissed to await the call to action. In addition to the regular police force of 104 men there were sworn in to-day twenty-three constables, twenty-five deputies, and fifteen firemen, who are to do duty as policemen. All these men were immediately armed with revolvers and heavy night sticks.

Ten silk manufacturing firms opened for work this morning. In each of the plants every employe was armed today with a revolver. The weapons were supplied by the men's employers with the approval of Mayor Hincheliffe.

Before taking this step the mayor had been consulted by the manufacturers and he expressed the opinion that the employers were fully justified in arming their men, and that it was a necessary precaution in view of yesterday's riots.

The police had a slight encounter with a body of strikers and their sympathizers to-day. About four hundred Italian strikers and others gathered in the quarter of the city where the larger part of the Italian colony lives, and forming in procession started to march to Turn Hall. The hall is only about a block from police headquarters. It is said that the proposed meeting there to-day was arranged for at a meeting of Anarchists last night. The police had been keeping a sharp watch on the movements of the strikers and the procession had barely got underway when the reserves charged the paraders. There was a quick scattering in all directions by the men in line and in a remarkably short time there was not a parader to be seen in the neighborhood.

**Troops in Readiness.**

NEWARK, N. J., June 19.—In view of the rioting at Paterson, preparations are being made here to call out troops should such action become necessary. Colonel H. H. Breintall, commander of the First regiment, New Jersey National Guard, issued an order today notifying the regiment to hold itself in readiness to respond in an hour's time if the Governor should call for troops.

## WARM WIRELETS.

King Albert, of Saxony, died yesterday. The King of Saxony left no children and King George, his oldest brother, succeeds to the throne of Saxony.

Henry Reichtin, disbursing officer of the Department of Justice, in Washington, was arrested yesterday on the charge of misappropriating $7,600 of government funds. He confessed to the shortage.

The mill of the Cambria Powder Company's plant at Seward, nineteen miles from Johnstown, Pa., blew up yesterday afternoon, killing three men and injuring five others, one of whom has since died.

A dispatch from Rome says: The Pope has not definitely accepted the proposition of Gov. Taft for the settlement of the questions regarding the Friars' lands in the Philippine islands, but is believed the Pontiff will do so in writing on Friday morning.


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## RECIPROCITY WITH CUBA.

**President Roosevelt Determined Upon Some Measure of Relief for Cubans. Conference at White House**

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

WASHINGTON, June 19.—The President to-night gave a dinner to about a dozen of the leading Republican Senators favorable to Cuban reciprocity, and discussed with them the ways and means of securing a reduction of duty on Cuban products in order that the pledges made to Cuba may be redeemed. Among those at the dinner were Senators Allison, Aldrich, Hale, Spooner, Lodge and Platt. Secretary Root also was one of the guests.

The President, it can be stated, is firm and steadfast in his determination that in some form or other and at the earliest opportunity, there shall be secured to the new republic of Cuba a substantial reduction of the import tariff on her exports to the United States. How or when the result will be obtained, is a matter that the President must leave to future developments, but it can be stated by authority that the administration will continue unremitting in its endeavors until it accomplishes Cuban reciprocity in some form or other. The President will not content himself with shelving the question now that he has urged the matter on Congress in a special message, but will take such further steps as may be calculated to secure the reduction he has urged. Whether there will be an extra session or not, and if so when it shall be convoked, is altogether problematical.

## THE VINCENNES MOB.

**Another Unsuccessful Attempt to Lynch a Prisoner in the County Jail.**

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

VINCENNES, IND., June 19.—The mob made another unsuccessful effort early this morning to take William Edison, charged with assaulting a four-year old girl, from the Knox county jail and lynch him. The mayor to-day issued a proclamation requesting all citizens to keep off the streets. To-night ominous silence prevailed and a serious result will follow any attempt to lynch Edison. Company A, of the local militia is, resting on arms and is prepared to move instantly.

**The Earliest Yacht Race.**

What is said to be the earliest of recorded yacht races took place on Oct. 1, 1661. John Evelyn in his diary of that date mentions that he sailed with his majesty Charles II. in one of his pleasure boats or yachts, "vessels not known among us until the Dutch East India company presented that curious piece to the king, being very excellent sailing vessels. It was on a match between this and his other new boat," continued Evelyn, "built frigatelike, and one of the Duke of York's, the wager of £100, and the race from Greenwich to Gravesend and back, the king lost it going down, the wind being contrary, but saved stakes in returning."

The word "yacht" is itself Dutch, but the vessels which the merry monarch sailed were little similar to the racers of the present day. Mention is made of other yachts and races, but the details are very meager.

**Lightning and Willows.**

"In all my forty years' experience with trees and plants," said a well known gardener, "I have yet to hear of a willow tree being struck by lightning. Spruce trees, whitewood and pine trees almost seem to attract the electricity. Oak and other large trees and even many small trees are often maimed and killed. But willow trees seem, for some reason, to be immune to death or injury in this shape, and I have never seen or even heard of a tree of this family which lightning has ever struck."—Cleveland Leader.

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## SENATE PASSED PANAMA CANAL BILL

**Spooner's Substitute for the Nicaragua Canal Bill Which Passed the House.**

**MAJORITY ONLY EIGHT VOTES**

**Two Amendments to the Measure Adopted and Others Rejected--House Proceedings—Debate on the Philippine Government Bill Begun.**

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

WASHINGTON, D. C., June 19.—An Isthmian canal, while not yet absolutely assured, is nearer to construction than it ever has been. The Senate to-day by a majority of eight votes adopted the Spooner substitute for the Hepburn Nicaragua canal bill; the vote on the substitute being 42 to 34.

It has been evident for several days that the Spooner substitute would command the votes of a majority of the Senate. The Panama route was considered more desirable by the Senate than the Nicaragua route. The only question left open is the title to the property and that the President will determine, if the House shall adopt the Senate's amendment to its bill.

Senator Morgan, of Alabama, closed to-day's debate with an earnest appeal for the adoption of the Nicaragua route.

Senator Bacon, of Georgia, offered to the Spooner substitute an amendment providing for the appointment of an isthmian canal commission to direct the construction of the canal and providing that seven members of the commission shall receive such compensation as the President shall prescribe, until it is otherwise fixed by Congress.

Senator Spooner accepted the amendment and it was agreed to—52 to 22.

Senator Mallory, of Florida, offered an amendment to the Spooner amendment providing that if the President could not within six months get a clear title to the Panama Canal Company's rights and concessions he should proceed with the Nicaraguan canal.

Mr. Spooner moved to lay the amendment on the table, and the motion was agreed to—44 to 31.

A like amendment offered by Senator Mallory, limiting the time of the President's decision as to the Panama route to twelve months, was rejected—38 to 39.

Senator Mitchell offered an amendment to the Spooner substitute providing that even though the President is satisfied he can obtain a clear title to the Panama Canal Company's property, if he shall be convinced for any reason that it is not for the best interests of the United States to purchase the Panama property, or if he shall think the canal ought to be constructed by the Nicaragua route, he shall proceed to the construction of the canal by the Nicaragua route.

Senator Spooner's motion to lay this amendment on the table was agreed to A 42 to 32.

A direct vote was then obtained on the Spooner substitute which was adopted by the vote already given.

The vote upon the Spooner substitute disposed of the pending question and the substitute, as adopted, was reported from the committee of the whole to the Senate.

Senator Hoar, of Massachusetts, then offered a substitute for the Spooner proposition, making it the duty of the President to decide by which route the canal should be constructed. It was rejected—13 to 62.

Senator Fairbanks then offered an amendment providing for the issue of $130,000,000 of gold bonds, bearing two per cent. interest, to pay for the construction of the canal. Senator Culberson moved to lay the amendment on the table and the motion was defeated—36 to 39. The amendment was then adopted—38 to 36.

Senator Mason then offered an amendment to Senator Fairbanks' amendment providing that all the people of the United States should have opportunity to subscribe to the proposed loan. The amendment was agreed to without division.

Mr. Morgan then offered the Nicaraguan canal bill as a substitute for the Spooner proposition, thus raising the question previously passed upon.

Senator Spooner moved to lay the Nicaraguan canal bill on the table and the motion was agreed to—41 to 33.

The bill then passed—67 to 6.

On motion of Senator Morgan, the Senate then asked a conference with the House upon the bills passed by the two branches of Congress and Senators Morgan, Hanna and Kittredge were named as conferees.

**House of Representatives.**

The opening day of the week's debate upon the Philippine government bill in the House was signalized by a strong and exhaustive speech by Mr. Cooper, of Wisconsin, chairman of the Committee on Insular Affairs. He spoke for almost three hours and was given close attention by both sides of the House.

Mr. Jones, of Virginia, the ranking member of the minority of the committee, made an able presentation of the Democratic position, but he yielded the floor after speaking about an hour, and will resume to morrow morning. These were the only speeches made to-day. The order under which the House is operating provides for night sessions until Wednesday, for debate only, but as no one was prepared to speak to-night the order for the session of the House was vacated.

Ex-Chancellor Thomas F. Cobb, of the Western district of Alabama, dropped dead yesterday.


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| SATURDAY | A. M. 9.00, 5.30 | A. M. 9.00 P. M. 5.30 | P. M. 12.00, 5.45, 8.15 | P. M. 5.30, 6.00 |
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